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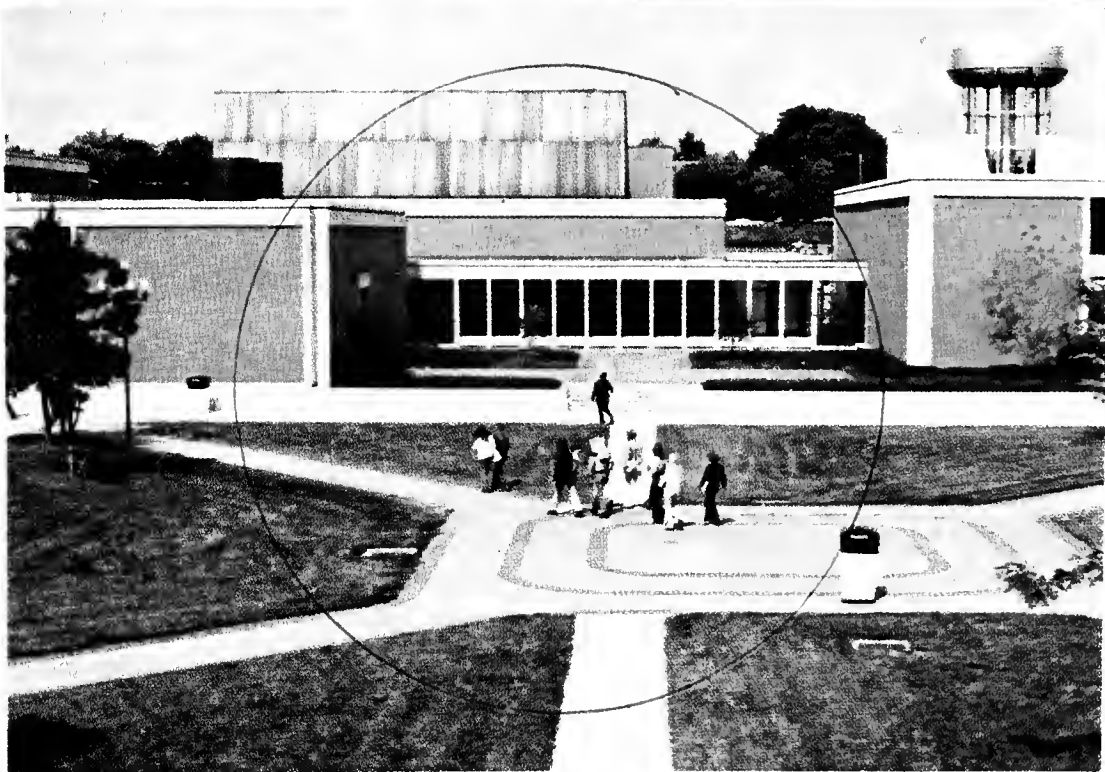
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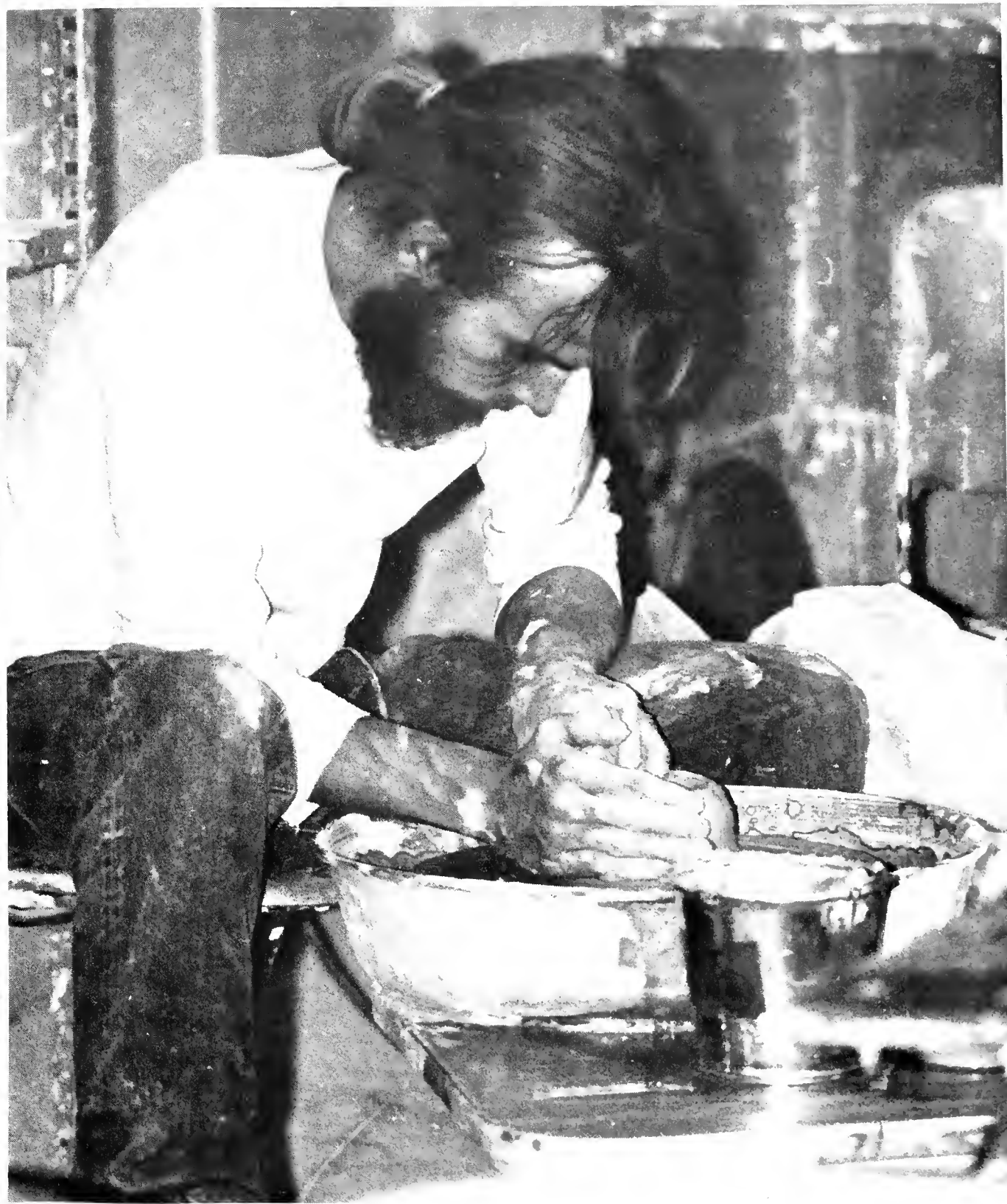


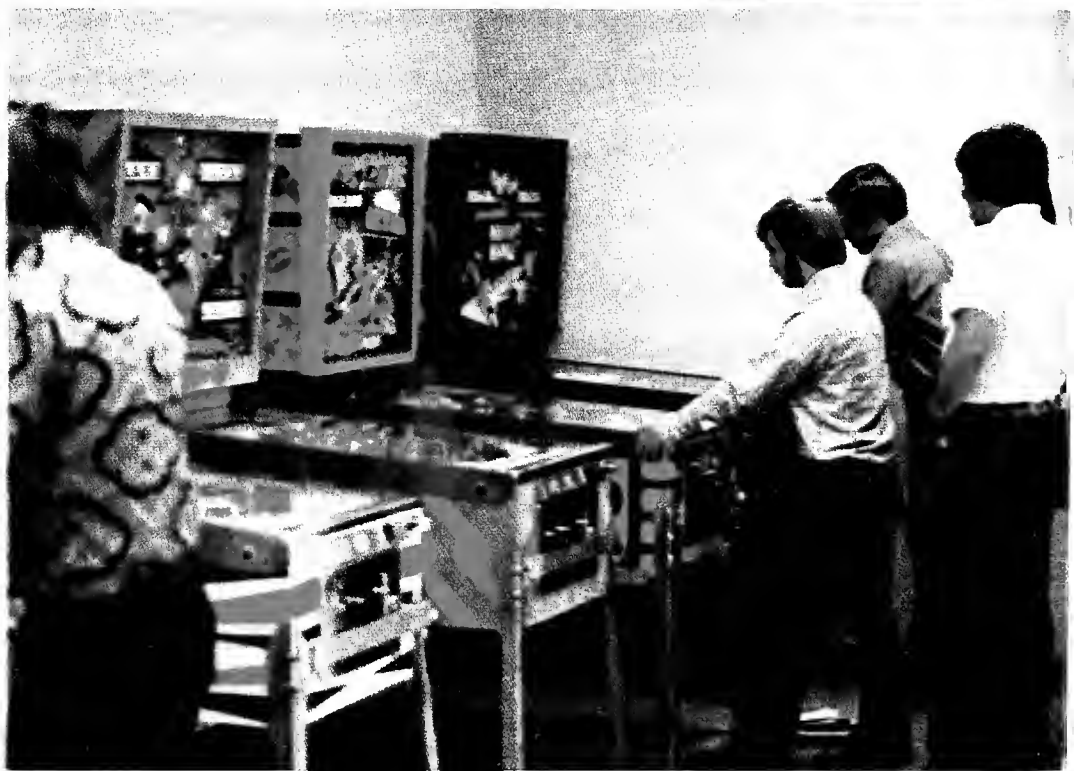
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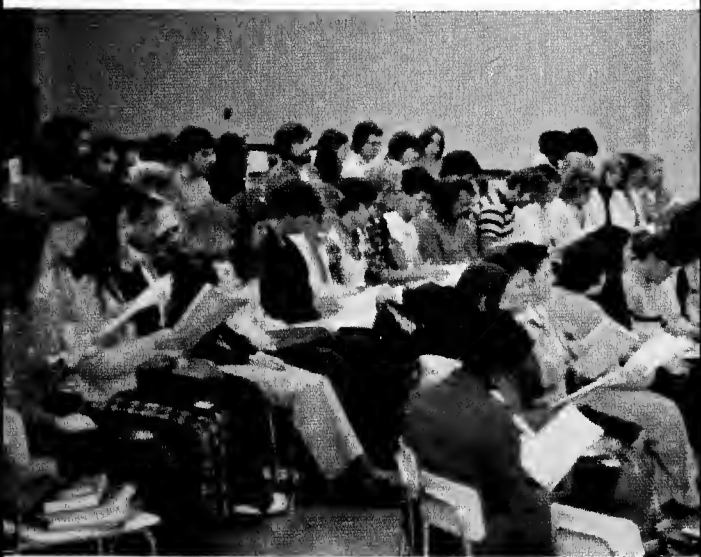
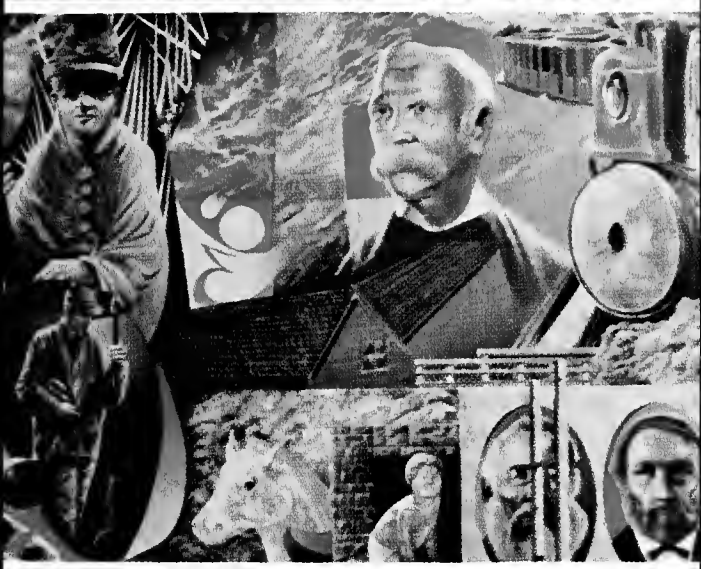
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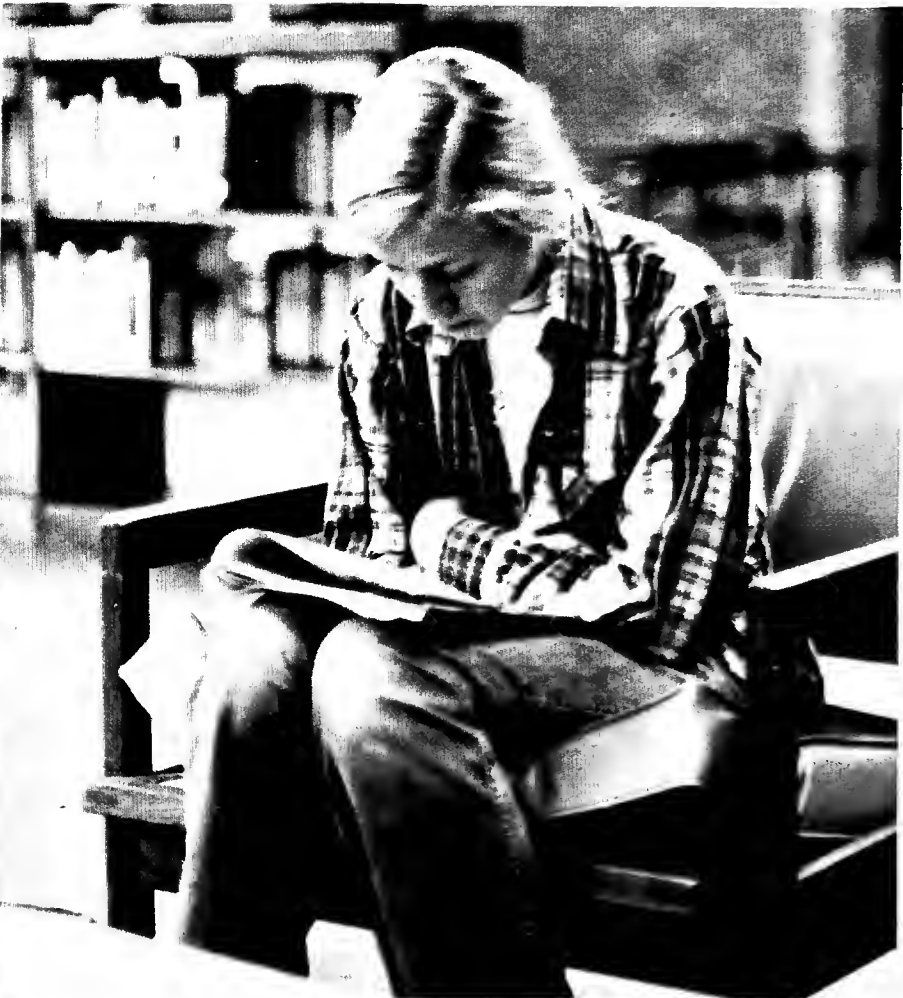
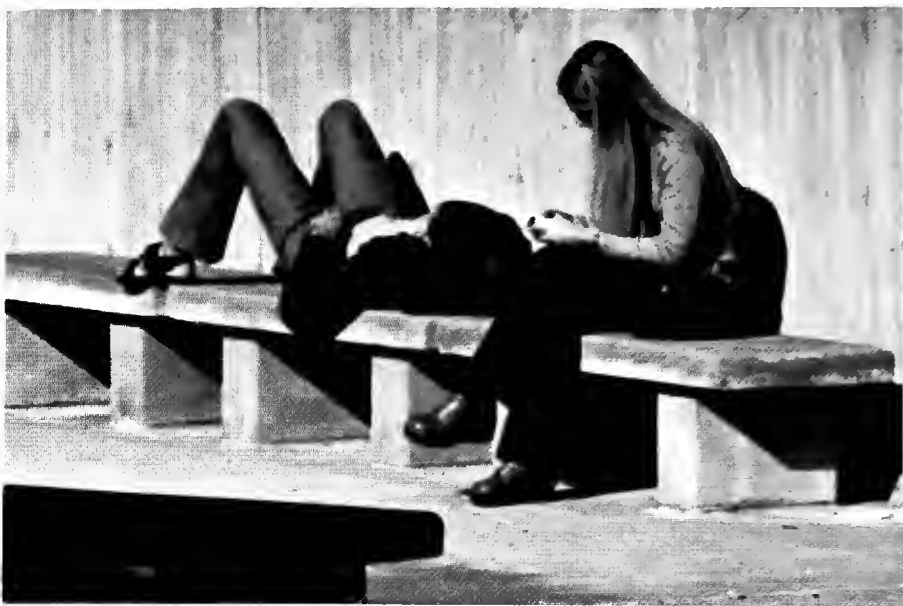
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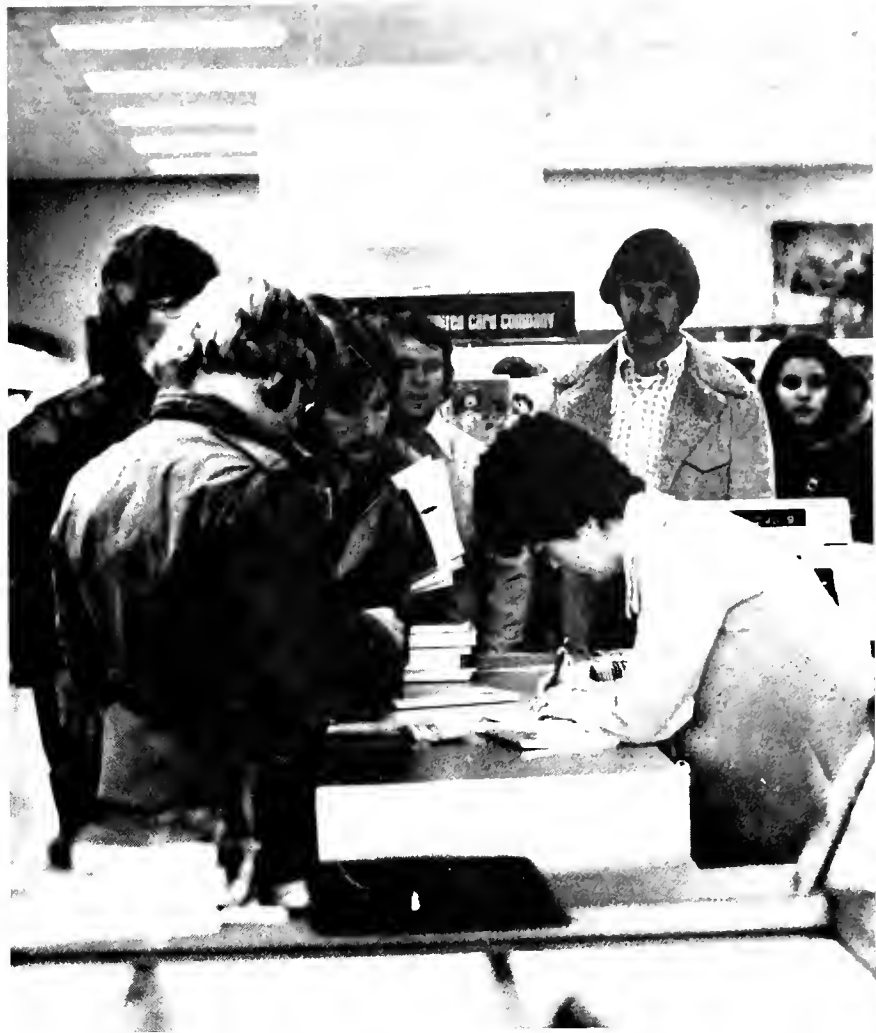
One of the first things a new college student learns about is—registration. In fact everybody goes through it year after year after year after year . . . and it never seems to get any better.

Picking classes was never like this in high school. You talked to your counselor, found out what classes you needed, and you took them. But here you have to fight for a class! There isn't any class that you should need so badly to have to fight for it!

There are numbers they give you and numbers you have to remember and lines to wait in and classes that fill up just as you get to the front of the line. You have to go to all the proper stations and in the right order or you'll waste more time going through the line again.

You might see some friends but you don't really have the time to talk to them. All you really want to do is get your classes and go. Just when you think this is an initiation to see if you really want to attend college and you can't stand it any longer, you come to the end. You're free. You've gotten the classes you wanted (or something close anyway) and you're done. But for all the trouble, it seems you should get credits just for getting through registration. After this any class looks like a breeze!





CELEBRATION

Meramec Theatre's first production for the 1974-1975 season was "Celebration", a musical comedy by Tom Jones and Harvey Schmidt.

Gary Paben directed the production, a ritualistic expression of the traditional battle between age and youth. Lance Stelzleni designed the sets and Dee Perino directed the music.

The cast included R. Baird, R. Bauer, L. Carper, T. Christie, K. Holt, G. Joseph, N. Kuntz, A. Paff, P. Parshall, M. Renick, D. Wallace, D. Warner, J. Weisbrod, T. Wells, D. Winslow, and C. Vanicek.







LOOT

"Loot" was Meramec Theatre's second production of the season. The satirical comedy, an irreverent view of death, the church, law, sex, and other sacred institutions, was written by Englishman Joe Orton. His other plays include "Entertaining Mr. Sloane," a controversial play dealing with homosexuality.

John Tucker directed and Raymond Sikes designed the production. The cast included Till Alback, Letitia Carper, Tom Christie, Robert Hudson, Robert Niemeier, Cheri Willoughby, Daniel Winslow and Scott Youngstrom.





SWEET BIRD OF YOUTH

"Sweet Bird of Youth" was Meramec's third theatre production. The play, by Tennessee Williams, deals with a heroine clutching at lost youth and the young man she drags down with her.

Gary Paben directed and Raymond Sikes designed the production. The cast included Sally Schuermann, Tim Dunigan, Gary Lohr, Patti Thee, Dan Warner, Robert Hudson, Robert Gehardt, and Jacquelyn Ford.





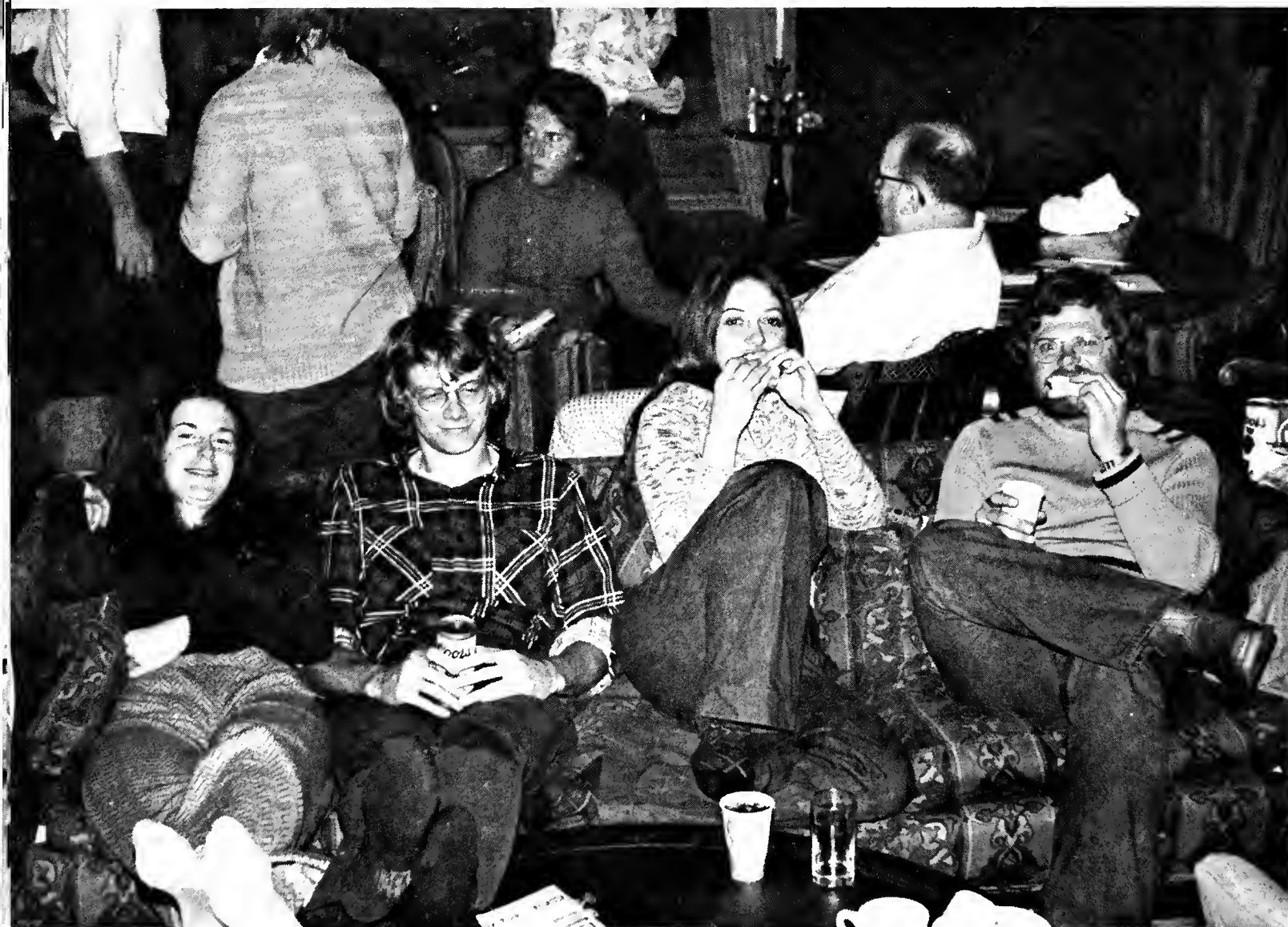


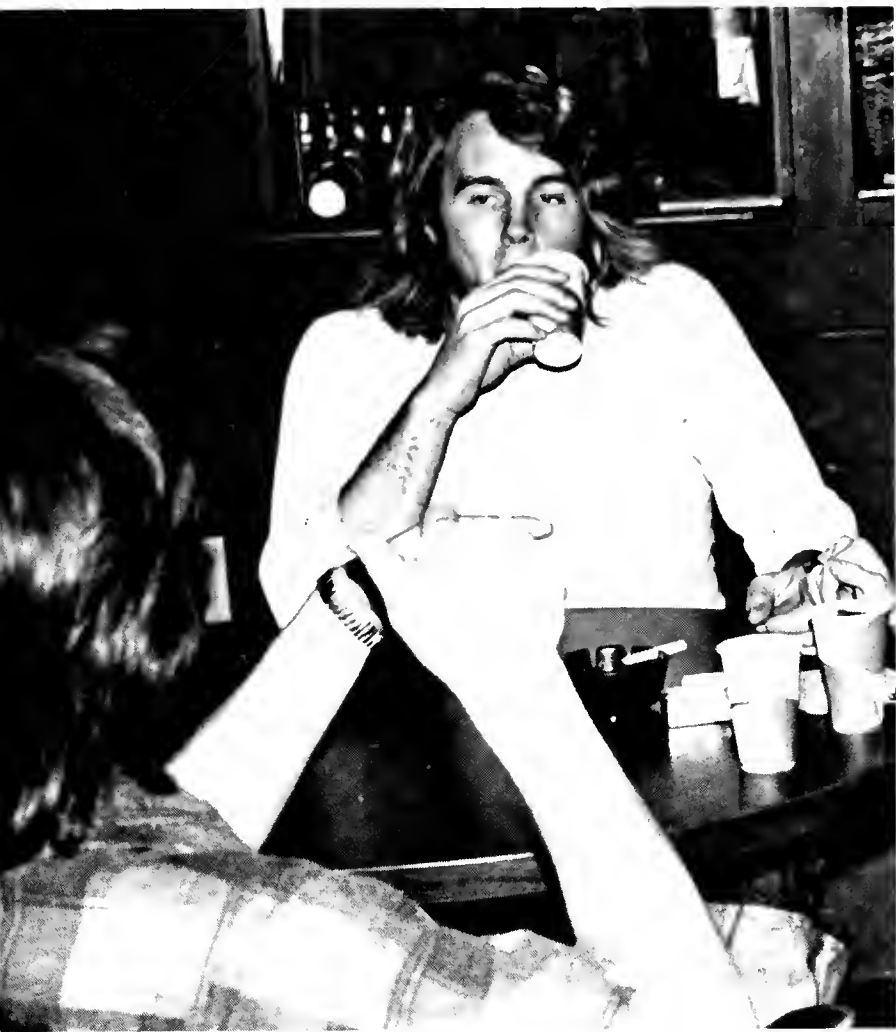
SKI TRIP

On a Saturday in January, 80 students traveled 90 miles in two Mid-America touring busses to Ski Idlewild Lodge in Colorado on MCC's sixth annual ski trip.

On arrival Sunday many eager people hit the slopes to learn how to ski in the Graduated Length Method. Other activities that spanned the week were tubing (sailing down a treacherously steep hill on an innertube), sleigh hay ride, guitar sing-alongs till all hours of the night, outdoor swimming in a heated pool, hiking into town, going on a snow tour of the Winter Park Ski Resort area, playing cards and just sitting and enjoying the scenery. The week ended with a downhill race in which participating MCC students won several medals in a variety of categories.

Then the week was over and the busses carried the students back with only a few casualties encountered and more than a good time had by all. Back just a few weeks, new found friends from the trip were already planning for next year's journey.









ORGANIZATIONS

CHOIR

First row, (left to right): Rose Anne Kaufmann, Debbie Nelson, Fran Carter, Denise Lizenby, Terry Daniels. Second row: Carmen Holmes, Janine Parks, Dixie Helmich, Maria Tiongson, Lisa Hall, Valerie Matt. Third row: Kathy Lohmann, Wendy Carter, Paula Schweickardt, Ann Albert, Letitia Carper. Fourth row: Jamie Bennett, Joan Winkler, Beth Dinkins, Pamela Townsend, Cindy Elkins, Sharon Williams. Row five: Janet Elliott, Sally Hunter, Jane Elliott, Lisa Lord, Dan Warner, Lori Webber. Row six: Robert Schuessler, John Nolan, Terry Hussman, Craig Mueller, William Parker, Chris King. Row seven: Paul Broemmelsiek, Gary Friedrich, Robert Golbart, Michael Laschober, Lance Jones, Paul Williams. Row eight: Richard Fliss, Mark Bohn, Jack Pausch, Dave Moon, Brad Slavik. Row nine: Miss Gillett, Tim Garcia, Jim Layton, Jim Arno, Steve Myrick.

The Meramec Community College Choir presented its annual Christmas Vesper Concert on December 8 1974 to highlight its season of performances.

Miss Frances Gillett directed the 60-voice choir which offered selections from Handel, Mendelssohn, Pitoni, and other more contemporary composers. An invocation and a narration of the Christmas story was also presented at the Concert.

The members of the choir also participated in a Pops Concert in October under the direction of Miss Frances Gillett. Besides these two events, the choir appeared at various churches and other functions during the season.



JAZZ LAB BANDS

The Meramec Community College Jazz Lab Bands formed November 7, 1974, in the MCC Theatre. The bands, 40 members strong, presented selections in swing, rock, and Latin jazz. Stephen Terry, of the MCC music department, directed the bands which also performed in a variety of concerts throughout the community and state.



PEP BAND



ORCHESTRA

The MCC Orchestra, composed of students, faculty and other interested members of the community, performed in three campus concerts this year, in October, February, and April. In addition they played at the Kirkwood Presbyterian Church in November and at Meramec's Open House, held in April.

Included in the programming were three works by St. Louis composers, as well as opportunities for members to perform solo.



CONCERT BAND

The Meramec Community College Concert Band performed in two concerts this year, one in the spring and one in the fall. The members of the band compose a credit hour class that meets to play and perform representative band literature.



CO-ED GYM CLUB

The Coed Gym Club is sponsored by Coach Gordon Clucas. The purpose of the club is to give interested students time to work out on the various pieces of gymnastics equipment. Anyone from beginner to advanced is welcome to come and practice.



Left to right: Darrell Sewell, Joan Goddard, Joe Phillips, Claire Kuchner, Giselle MacDonald.

ARCHITECTURAL SOCIETY

The Architectural Society is made up of students in the Drafting and Design Technology programs at Meramec. Along with a trip to Chicago and a tour of downtown St. Louis, each to study architecture, the year was highlighted by a guest speaker, the famous architect Iyao Obata.

President Princeton Clark, Vice-President Jack Lueddecke, Secretary Vince Wilga, and Treasurer Flavio Stechich, with the society, are planning a trip to Columbia, Indiana, for next year.



Back row, left to right: Princeton Clark, Rick McBride, Rick Ahmberg, Tom Applebaum, Morris E. Fletcher (Faculty sponsor), Flavio Stechich, Bob Roberts. Second row: Calvin Ransom, Carl

Winter, Larry Myer, Marie Reilly, Gary Hartmann, John Ruskin. Front row: Vince Wilga, Joseph Schlitt, Dennis Tacchi, Mike Buckley, Dennis Oge, Jack Lueddecke.

OUTDOOR CLUB

The Outdoor Club offers students interested in the beauty of an unspoiled natural environment the opportunity to turn on to Mother Earth. Among the club's major outings this year were a 12 mile hike and campout and a bicycle ride from Rockwoods Reservation to Greens Felter Park and back. Other activities planned for spring were a backpacking trip on Big Piney Trail and their annual canoe trip in late April or early May.

The club officers are Vince Abbott, Chris Shoemaker, and Paul Webb. Mr. Monahan sponsors the club's activities.



Left to right: Sue Monogham, Paul Webb, Bob Monogham, Sue Wells, Terry Wells, Bill Schaefer, Doris O'Connor, Vince Abbott.

GEOLOGY CLUB

The Geology Club engaged in several fund raising activities to finance various field trips which offer members and interested students the chance to study geology in natural surroundings. The trips included outings to the Silver Mine Area, Johnson's Shut-ins, and a n day camping trip to the Great Smokey Mountains, North Carolina, and Tennessee.

Robert Taylor sponsors the club. Steve O'Sullivan is president, Rolin Geroncin is Vice-President, and Gail Elsher is Secretary-Treasurer.



Back row, left to right: Bob Taylor (sponsor), Vince Abbott, Rolin Geroncin, Steve O'Sullivan, Jeff Hale, Jim Schutz. Front row: Kevin

Tenney, Tom Sutterfield, Doris O'Connor, Dick Lang, John Williams.

ASSOCIATED JUNIOR RETAILERS

Recruiting, fund raising, and an annual Planning Conference at Tan Tar A headed the Associated Junior Retailers calendar this year. The retailers sponsored two Meramec Markets, one in November and the second in May, donating a good part of the proceeds to their scholarship fund.

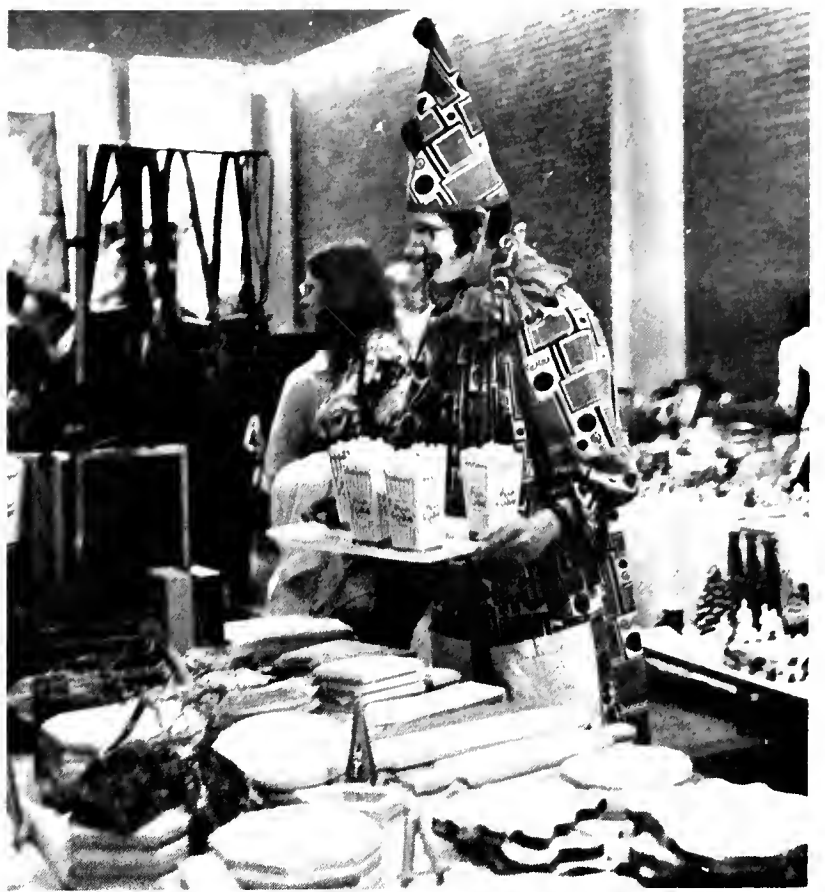
The retailers completed the scholarship theme by making trips to local high schools and telling prospective students about the Meramec Retailing Scholarship Program. An awards banquet ended the year for the retailers.

The retailers were led this year by President Denney Heller, Vice-President Doug Johnson, Treasurer Jill Fister, and Secretaries Debbie Wingbernuehle and Mickey Fuchs.



Front row, left to right: Pat Strode, Mary Ann Demuth, Joni Bernstein, Gwen Pultman, Jean Kosky (guest speaker), Barb Danner, Suanne MacDonald. Second row: Leonard Bartling, David Kuhn (Chairman of the Retailing Dept.), Bonnie Eichman (faculty), Marie

Glynn, Carla Agnello, Sue Brittle, Kenny Lowe, Ralph Burgdorf, Josephine Anthony (faculty), Laura Zanetos. Back row: Debbie Herrman, Cindy Fedder, Mike Gugliano, Diane Price, Carla Pierce, Mark Rethmeyer, Debbie Herzog, Len Thoma.



Front row, left to right: Cathy Island, Cathy Sinnard, David Reese, Tony Heller, Jill Fister, Carmen Holmes, John Shea. Second row: Tim Davie, Sally Palozola, Linda Wilder, Tom Brickler, Doug Johnson, Karen McCown, Jim Goebel. Back row: Joyce Goldring, Ray

Eckels, Micky Fuchs, Nancy Byers, Terry O'Neal, Steve Ruth, Jerry Ochonicky, Barry Silverman. Numerous members not present and not pictured.



PUBLICATIONS

The office from the outside would look like any other on campus were it not for the signs plastered all around and on the door. One is a large ad for "Wendy and Dave Place", a neighborhood tavern/cafe. Another is a condemnation by the health department, printed by the Student Activities sign shop. Another is a piece of a song lyric, and stuck on the door, hidden under notes that read "Hi Everybody, Love Mugs" are two very inauspicious signs that read "YEARBOOK" and "NEWSPAPER". This is college publications and people is what it's all about.

Yearbook Editor Wendy Carter and THE MONTAGE Editor Dave Schmitt are in charge here. They run the office and the office runs them — all over campus! Wendy is trying to find Robert Abbott (who is probably out goofing off with Theresa Schmidt) who was supposed to shoot a club photo 20 minutes ago. Wendy wound up taking the shot herself but that's OK. Tom Nord winds up taking the shots Wendy misses and Gig Taylor shoots anything else that doesn't move (and some good shots of things that do). In between photo assignments, Wendy tries to enlist aid from anyone who has time to help with page layout and photo selection. And all the time, Editor Dave is "borrowing" any shots not used in the yearbook for the paper. But that's not all.

Along with assigning photos from the previous mentioned folks, he also assigns stories to anyone who can print his name twice in a row, and tries to find people who will help on his layout. People like John Hilgert who is in the office usually long enough to know when the work will start and when he should leave. Or Frank Gurskis who can write some good copy when his hands aren't full of food or his mouth full of jokes, both good and bad. Claire Kuchner is the epitome of energy and is always helpful. Chris Rauch is there too. Chris is, along with a few others, a holdover from last year's staff and she's already accustomed to the frantic office pace and knows how to meet its demands. (After all, if she couldn't stand the strain, would she have gone on to Journalism school at Columbia in the spring where the going is ever rougher?) And it never fails; right in the middle of a tricky layout, Vadus Brown will come in to expound on his latest theory, disrupting Todd Moehlmann and Connie Schwartz as they write headlines.

Norma Tynes sits wrestling vocally with some copy until Pat Mulligan cracks a joke to ease the tension. Mike Higgins sits at the typewriter, churning out copy at the last minute to fill space. Sue Pike and Chris Shields proofread copy while Tom Christie sticks his head in briefly, between classes, to say "Hi", and check on an idea for his next piece. And Marianne Colter runs for soda, types odd copy, answers the phone and smiles a lot. She is the author of those "Hi Everybody" notes on the door and is in charge of moral support for the office. She does a good job.

The Yearbook and THE MONTAGE are separate functions but this year they shared a common staff and in retrospect, it seems only right. With all the fun the people shared, like hay rides, trips to the Granary, and the Valentine's Day party, it's only fair that they should share the work. For all the borrowed photos Dave needed Wendy got even by using many MONTAGE staffers to write Yearbook copy as her deadline drew near (and sometimes passed).

Throughout all, the faculty advisors worked as overseers on the projects born in the room. Sometimes it was hard to think of Rich Michalski as anything but an older kid as he worked (and played) with the MONTAGE staff. And the same goes for Delancey "Butch" Smith who looked like anything but a teacher or yearbook advisor in his beard and faded jeans.

The work couldn't have been completed if it hadn't been for the rest of the cast of thousands who passed through the office. People like Forest Hampton, Steve Crowder, Sandy Sepulveda, Kathy Gutzler, Walt Totterer, Terry Martin, Judy Meadows, Henry Manning, Wally Rutherford, Bill Mellis, and Keith Glenn who helped put it all together.

Beyond that are all the friends of the staff and friends of friends, people who stopped to say "Hi", folks who shared in and created a sense of community in the publications office. That shared interest and friendship was the thing that made the office what it was. And though at times it hampered things, it was, in the end, the things that finally got the job done. Friends working together. Here's hoping next year's editors have as good a staff as this year's did.





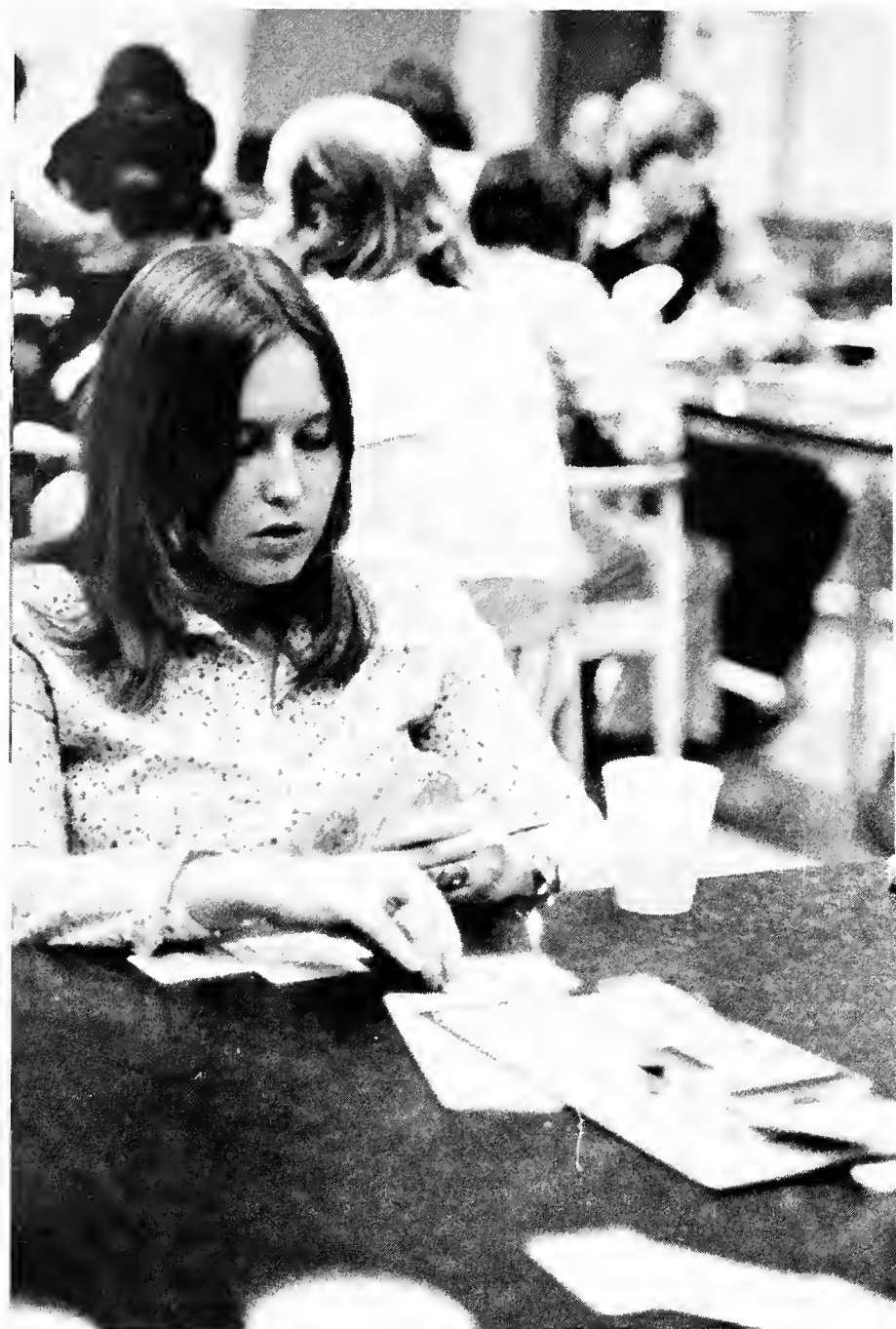
Front row, left to right: Robert Abbott, Marianne Colter, Mike Higgins, Claire Kuchner, Tom Christie, Sue Svejkoski, Tom Nord, Chris Schildz. Second row: Dave Schmitt (Montage Editor), Giglor, Todd Moehlmann, Norma Tynes, Pat Mulligan, Connie

Schwartz, John Hilgert, Wendy Carter (Yearbook Editor), Rich Mihalski (Montage faculty advisor). Not pictured: Delancey Smith (Yearbook advisor), Frank Gurskis, Susan Pike, Chris Rauch, Keith Glenn, Bill Mellis, Henry Manning.

BRIDGE CLUB

The Bridge Club is a very active organization, sponsoring a regular Wednesday evening Duplicate Bridge game and the Annual Intercollegiate Duplicate Bridge Tournament. The tournament, held this year on April 12, allows all college students within a five-state, 300 mile radius to participate. In addition to these activities, bake sales were held to raise money for the club.

Sally Zwibleman is the president, Richard Glick is vice-president, Kathy Mills is secretary, and Mrs. Claire Kearney is sponsor.





STUDENT ACTIVITIES BOARD

The Student Activities Board at Meramec is the organized body on campus that determines how part of the student activity fee, paid at registration, is spent. It is made up of students representing individual clubs officially recognized on campus, each having a vote on the dispensation of expenditures made throughout the school year.



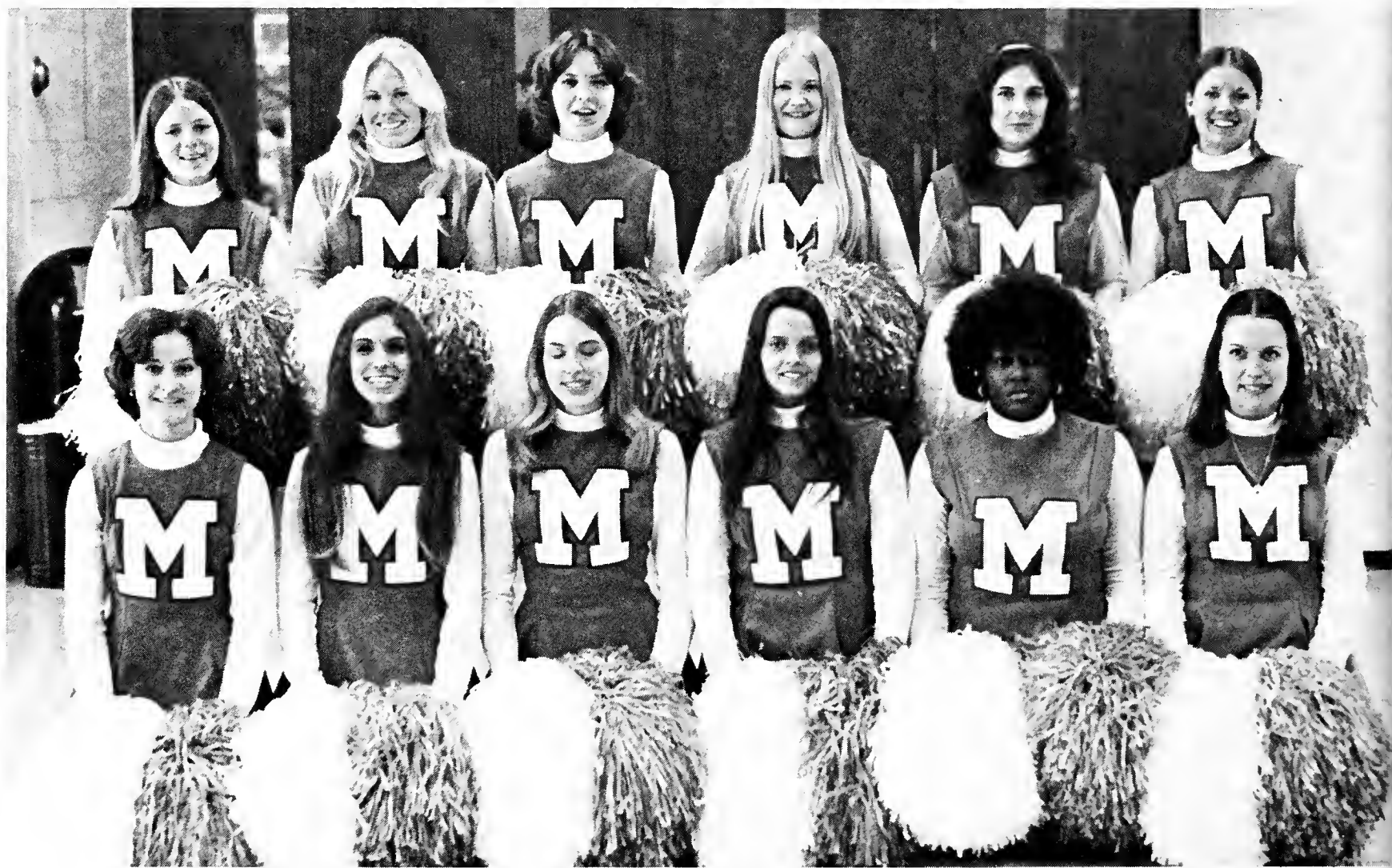
The Board brings the movie series on Friday nights, loans money to groups, and grants money to clubs to sponsor and further their individual endeavors. They allotted funds to the Social Committee who sponsored the variety of dances, noontime performances and concerts that were enjoyed throughout the year.

The Board, as a group, attended two seminars over the course of the year, one to Black River Lodge to learn to function better as a board, and one to Harper Community College near Chicago to observe a student government similar to our own and to discuss mutual problems.



POM POM

The Pom Pom girls are a newly formed organization this year. Under the direction of sponsor Jo Branson, the 15 girls in the squad and alternates worked for two months, making their own uniforms and practicing the initial routines used at their debut game in mid-January. The group's choreography, arranged to "Get Back," "We're an American Band," the theme from "Hawaii Five-O," and "China Grove," livened up the half-time show at basketball games both at home and away.



First row, left to right: Genny Kovarik, Terry Daniels, Diane Etl-ing, Sherry Hinton, Ann Albert, and Denise Lizenby. Second row: Leann Stewart, Sandy Slazinik, Wendy Markusch, Gail Bohn, Denise Evans, and Mickey Martin. Not pictured: Marci Constantino, Valeeta Thomas and Janice Farmer.





CHEERLEADERS



Left to right: Annette Munster, Terry Schneiderman, Mary Treblecock, Linda Rancilio, Donna Baur, Chris Cantoni.



SCUBA CLUB

Diving for coral on the Great Barrier Reef of the Grand Bahamas topped off an active year for the Dolphins, Meramec's Scuba Club. Events sponsored by the club included a weekend campout-dive at Norfolk Lake in Arkansas as well as a fund raising candy sale last fall. Concerned with the environment, the club held an "ecology dive" at the abandoned strip mines near Freeburg, Illinois, collecting beer cans, soda bottles, and other trash from under and around the now water-filled sites.

Swimming coach Bill Shadburne sponsors the club, with Marc Shadburne serving as president, Todd Moehlmann as vice-president and student activities board representatives, and Barbara Mount, secretary and treasurer.



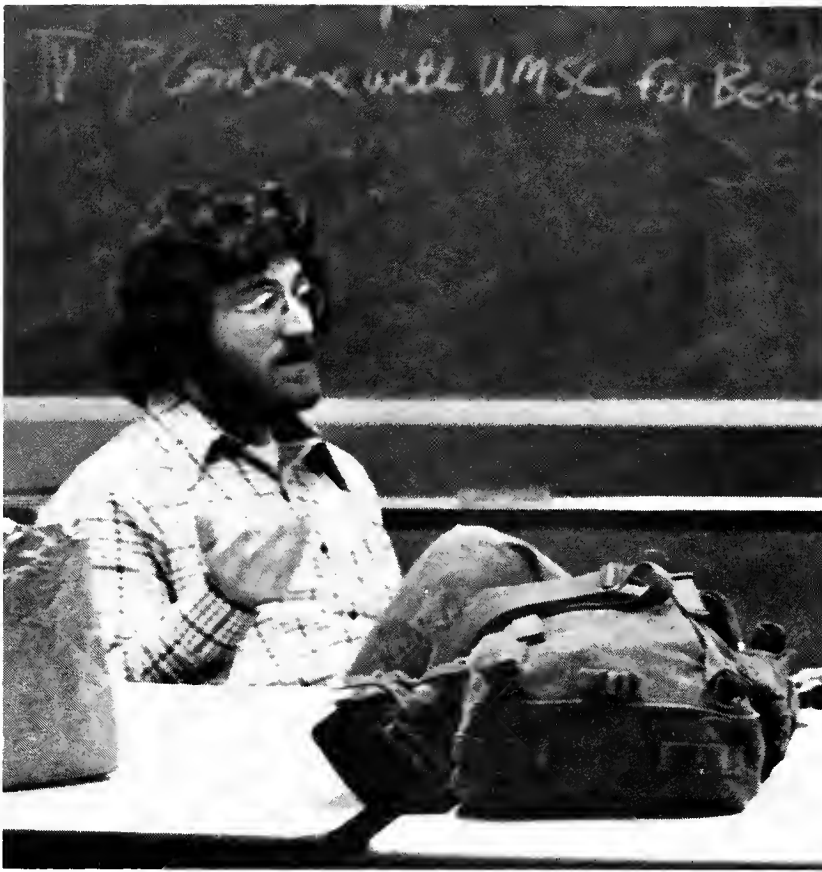
BLACK STUDENT UNION

During the school year the Black Student Union was a "good samaritan" to needy families during the holiday seasons. They also went to Homer G. Phillips Hospital to see the children's ward two television sets and provided the children with little gifts and a party on Christmas Eve.

Also, in February, the B.S.U. sponsored various arts, speakers, and presented films to highlight Black culture during the second annual Black History Week.



Left to right: Gilda Brown, Janis Foreman, Pam Cummings, Byron Seymour, Diane Price, Pierre DuPree, Ann Albert, Canithe Kelley.



VETS CLUB

The Veterans Club's primary concern is to provide small loans for campus vets whenever their need arises. To finance these needs, the Vets hold various money raising activities, including last October's Pork Roast (commonly referred to as a Pig Roast). Plans for this spring include a blood drive and another Pig Roast. In addition, they plan to have a raffle in March, with the proceeds to go to dental care for the Handicapped.

Along with money raising events, the Vets club also visited another Veteran Association at Jefferson City and one at Columbia.

The officers last fall were President Ted Ellis and Vice-President Lynn Abrams. This spring new officers took over: President Lynn Abrams, Vice-President Deny Trantham and Secretary Pat Braudis.

The club's membership opened up this year to any student on campus.

HORTICULTURE

This year the Horticulture Club began landscaping the area between the Lecture Halls and Science West. Other activities included decorating the interior of the library with plants as well as building a set of special light benches for plant propagation.

Kevin McGill, president, Mike Dillon, vice-president, Melinda Manzo, secretary-treasurer, and the club funded projects through plant sales and participation in the MCC Market.

First row, left to right: Karen Schoch, Melinda Manzo, Chris Pope, Ruth Gullborg. Second row: John Jansen, George Dobson, Kurt Hartmann, Mike Dillon, Mike Stephan, Mr. Mort Swartz.



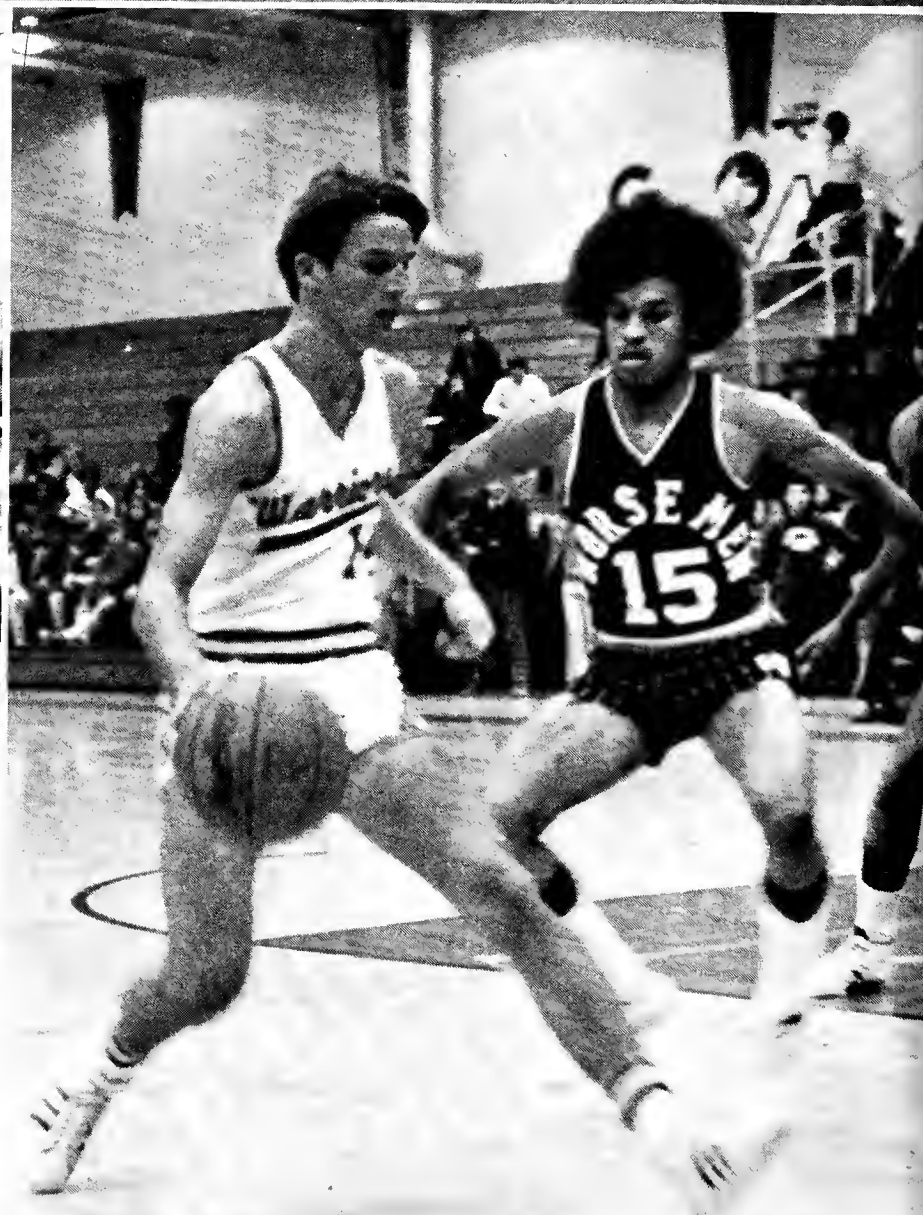


DENTAL ASSISTING CLUB



First row, left to right: Renee Geno, Sue Schermes, Nancy Quest, Mary Zinselmeier, Gerry Noss, Sherry Koenig, Betty Kreutz, Eve Baker. Second row: Marcia Farrah, Debbie Ruck, Vicky Bridges, Bob Richards, Debbie Taenzer, Sue Beckman, Linda Hill. Third row: Nancy Schwartz, Linda Schifko, Jane Johnson, Mary LeBrun, John Jackson, Stacey Simpson, Brenda Rosebrough, Paula Thomas, Jan Runnels. Fourth row: Sue Brookshire, Sue Leibach,

Kathy Cannito, Tina Donato, Cheri Bubliss, Lisa Abramson, Robin Mantler, Sandy Engel, Elaine Tillinger. Fifth row: Michelle Cassoutt, Pat Seifried, Donna Derr, Peggy Redmond, Lillian Rhodus, Kim Walsh, Mary Ellen Ruzicka. Sixth row: Sue Missy, Marsa Wyman, Linda Intfeld, Janet Olliges, Fran Silhavy. Not pictured: Karen Blume, Linda Cullen, Jennifer Millot, Connie Phillips, Pat Randleman.

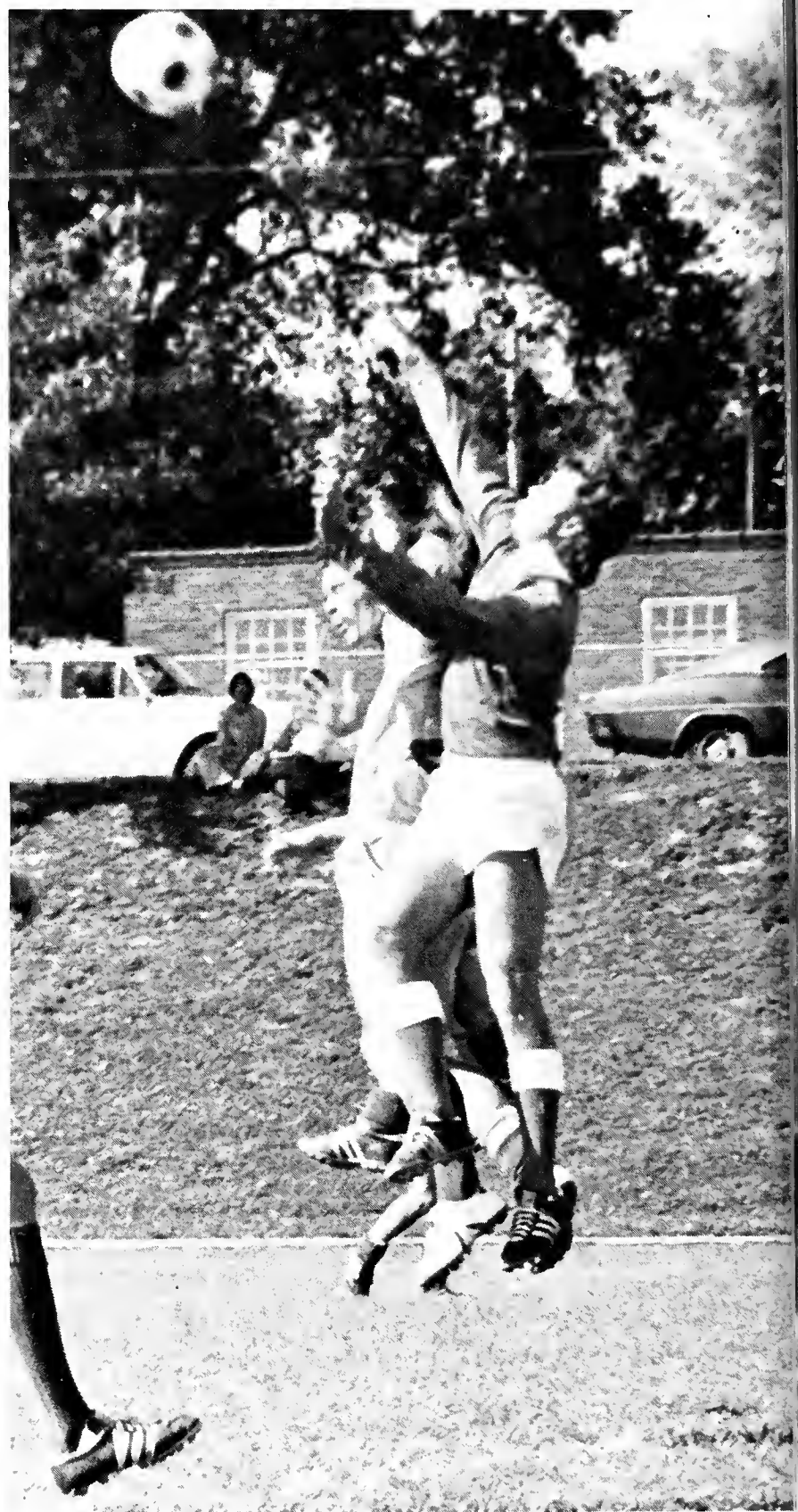




ATHLETICS

SOCCER

The Soccer Warriors for '74-'75 put Meramec in the Nationals again this year. This year they posted a 10-5-0 season record, and 16-6-0 overall record. Leading the way were Paul Dueker, Jim Goodall and Rick Spray, an All-American from last season. All three made All-American this year. Dueker and Spray also made NSCAA this year.





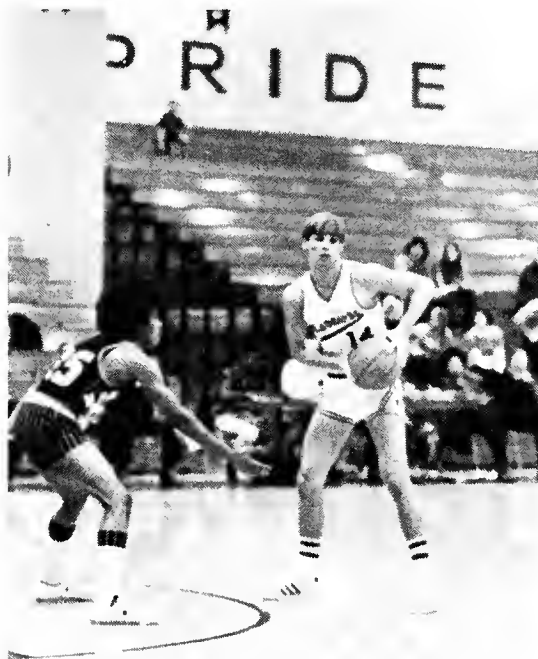
Back row, left to right: Jeff Fletcher, Jim Goodall, Joe Vitale, Rick Dueker, Bob Saitta, Leo Warren, Jim Beck, Dave Hoffmeyer, Rick Schumann, Bob Zarinelli, Rick Rone, Al Carron, Joe Moynihan, Craig Schuler, Craig Mathis, Coach Jack Writer. Front row: Paul

Dueker, Mike Nuelle, Denny Bozesky, Dan Bollwerk, Mark Oldani, Nick LeGrand, Joe Kelley, Rick Spray, Craig Kammien, Kevin McGrath, Joe Gremoldi, Enrico Lange.

BASKETBALL

The 1974-75 basketball season was supposed to be a rebuilding year for the Meramec Warriors, or so the team followers said. Obviously the team didn't hear about it. They compiled a 9 win-3 loss league record, earning them second place in the league. A fine Forest Park team defeated our Warriors in the final league game to capture the championship with a 10 win-2 loss record.

With the Warrior team losing only three ballplayers, next year may quite possibly be the year the first-place trophy is brought here. Many thanks and congratulations to Coach Jack Mimlitz and his entire team for an exciting season.





to right: Coach Jack Mimlitz, Ron Percy, Gary Post, Scott
lte, Randy Viefhaus, John Flaiz, Robert Williams, Mike Pate, Al

Boyd, Paul Lewandowski, Gary Wideman. Not pictured: Ken
McMann.



BASKETBALL

The Women's Basketball Team took the season with a 20-9-0 record. They participated in the state tourney—the only junior college to do so. In the Nationals the Warriors won 1 game and lost 2 games. Vicky Schneider was the high scorer for the season followed by Kathleen Toal. Mary Colleen Toal led in rebounds followed by Carole Whittaker. Other team members were Cathy Palazolo, JoAnn Weinstruer, Peggy Mulvihill, Aileen Mongey, Joan Barro, Susan Benwell and Gina Faulstich.

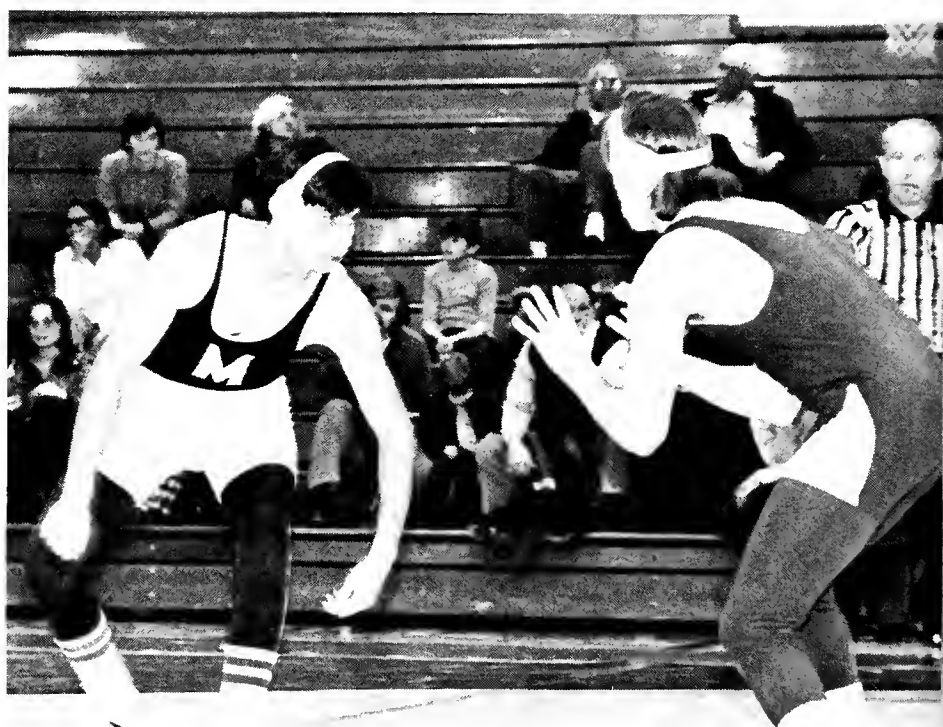
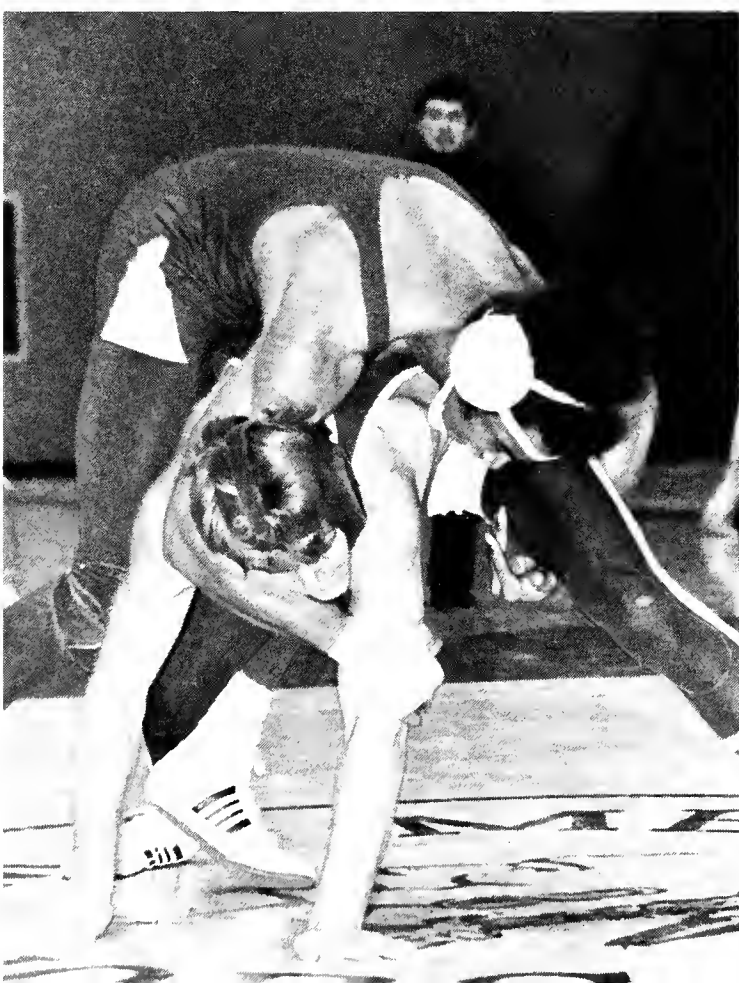
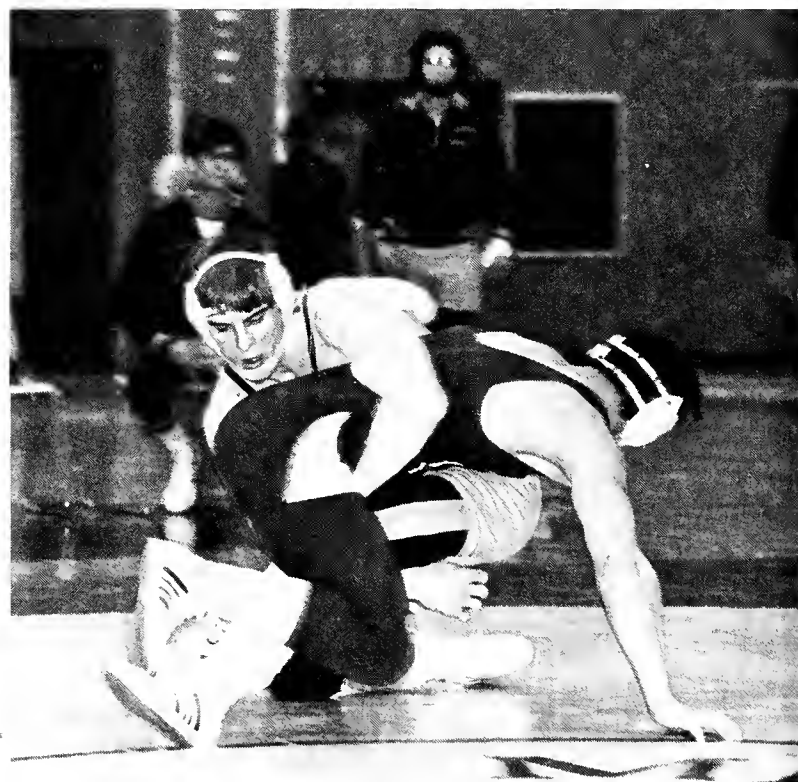


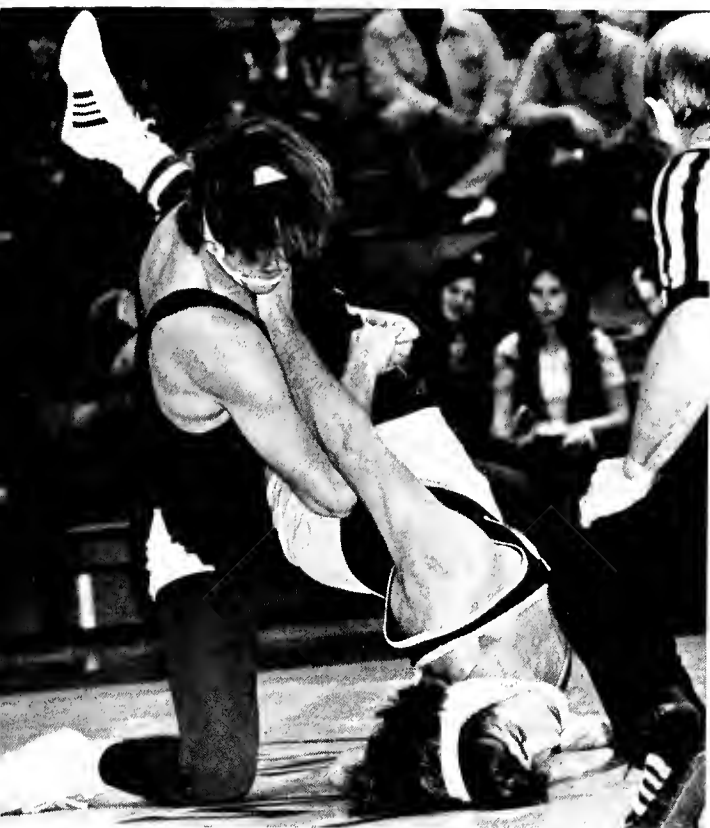


WRESTLING

The Meramec Wrestling Team completed a 7-8-0 season without men in the 190 and heavyweight classes. Theoretically the mat-men should have had a 10-5-0 record since 3 games were lost by only 1 or 2 points and the forfeit of a weight class is 6 points to the opposing team.

Mike Slyman was the only wrestler to go to nationals this year. He held the season with a 22-1-1 record, was the Region 16 118 lb. champion, and the outstanding wrestler at the Iowa Inter-regionals. His nationals record was 2-1.





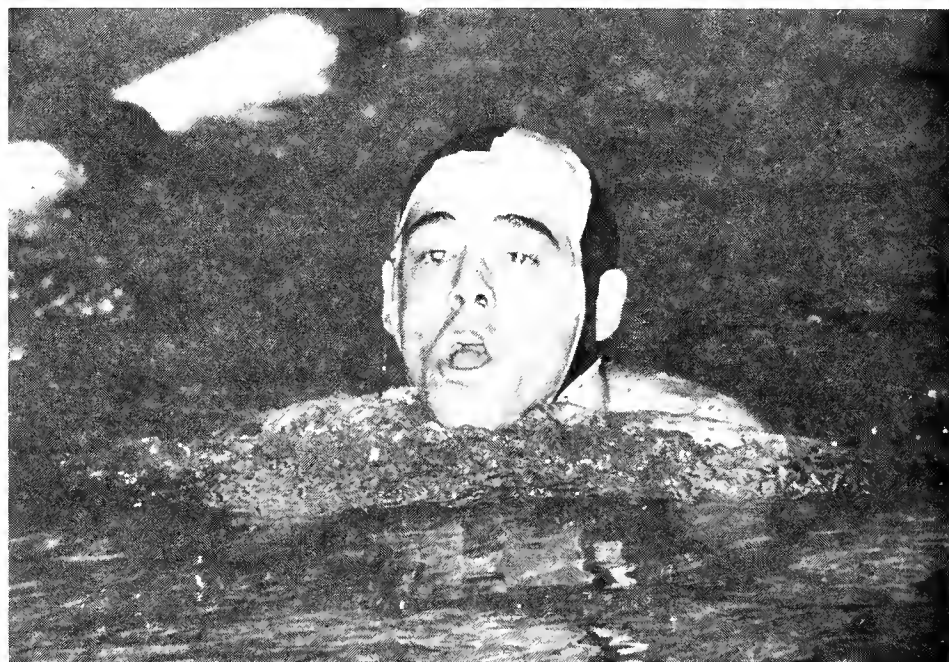
Front row, left to right: Bob Gamewell, Ron Crouch, Pat Harr, Mike
yman, Ed Ohlman. Back row: Ray Frye, Aaron Anyon, Ricky

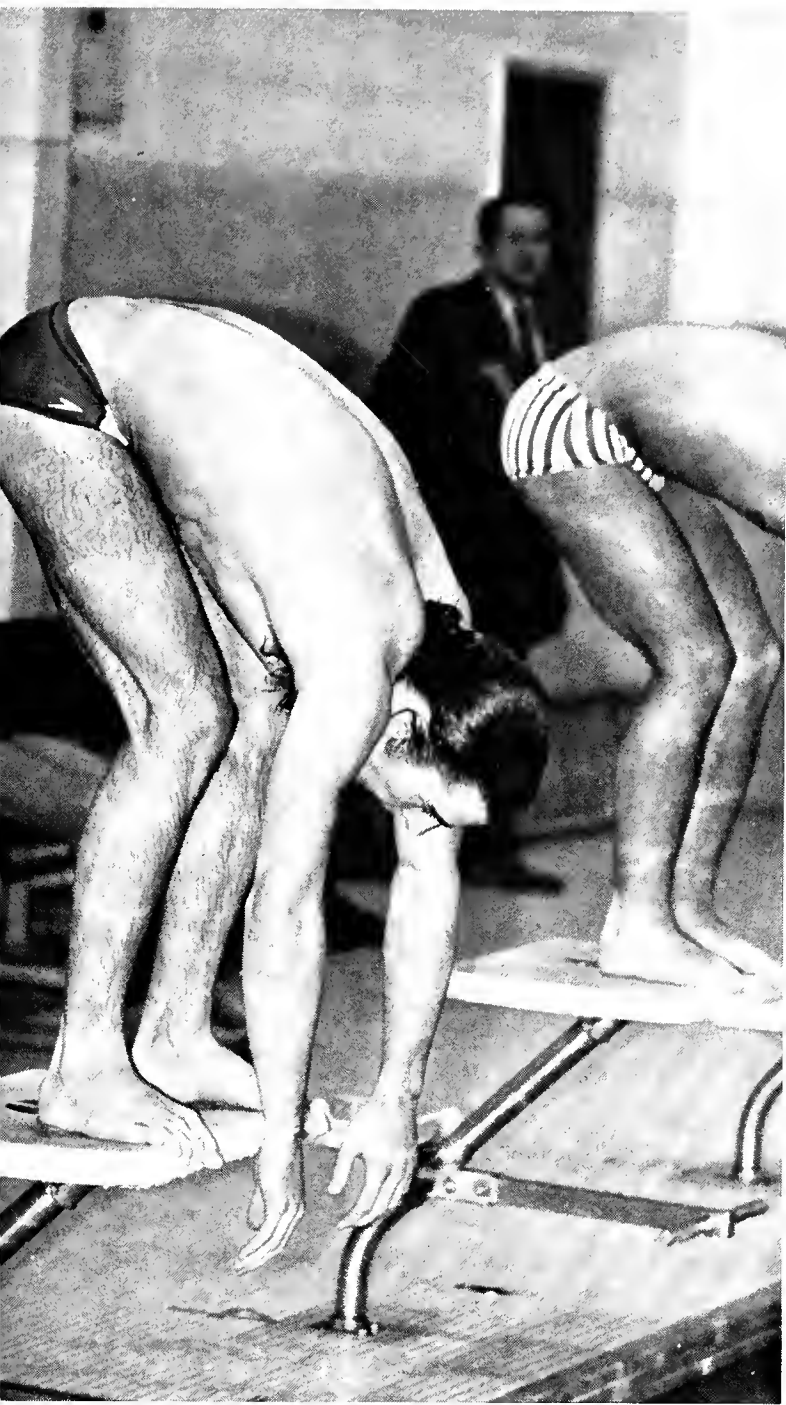
Slider, Dennis Weil, Bob Tesson, Kevin Maher, Steve Brocks. Not
pictured: Coach Ron Mirikitani.

SWIMMING

The Swim Team went to Detroit to the regionals as they have for the past six years only they didn't come away first this year, lacking the five points necessary for the win. Still, the team won ten of the eighteen events and managed to set records in the process.

Many of the swimmers going to Nationals ranked very high in standings in individual and relay events. Mark Arendes ranked eighth in the nation in the 50 yd. freestyle, Dave Barnes fourth in the 100 yd. breaststroke and tenth in the 200 yd., Chuck Dupree placed sixth for the 400 Individual medley, Joe Hawkins ranked fifth and tenth for 100 yd. and 200 yd. backstroke respectively and Howard Sheets tied in the standings for eighth in the 100 yd. butterfly and tenth in the 200 yd. category.





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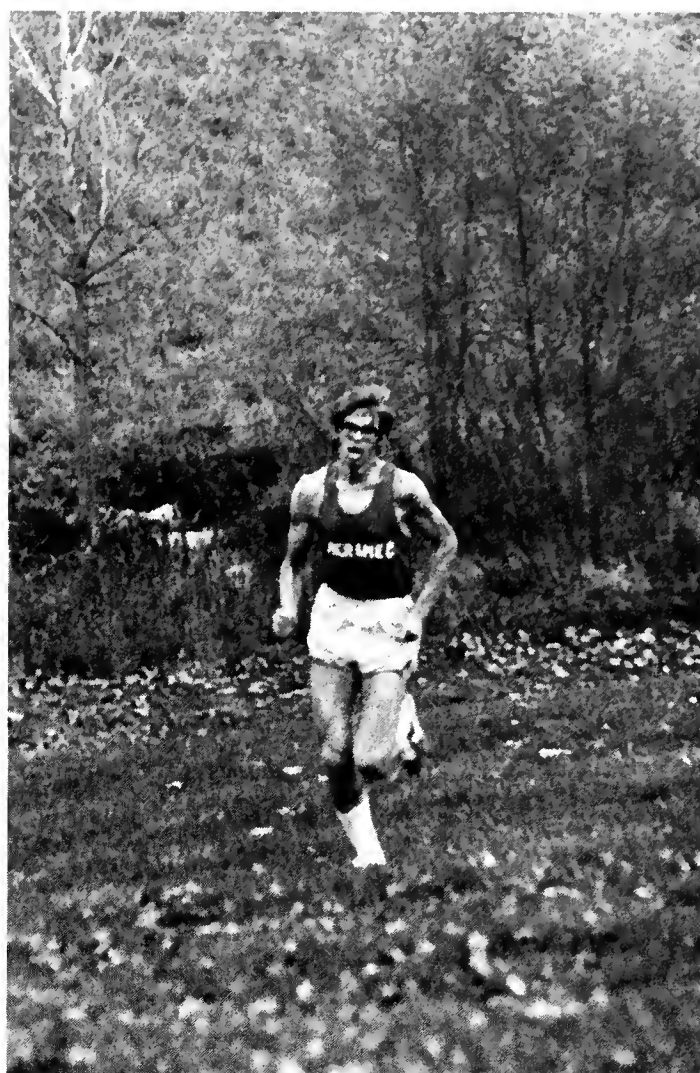
The 1974 Meramec Cross Country team, without a doubt, proved to be the best in the school's history. Meramec posted its second consecutive perfect dual-meet season with victories over Lincoln Land (23-36), Longview (15-50), Danville (15-50), Greenville (15-44), and highly regarded Westminster (22-33).

One of their season goals was to win the Region 16 Championship, which they did for the third consecutive year. The team scores were: Meramec 20, Forissant Valley 43, and Longview 67. Ron Stetina set a new course record of 27:40 in his second regional championship win, leading MCC to the top four positions. Following Ron was Jack Lindsey 28:11, Denis Baumstark 28:45 and Glen Bartholomew 29:11.

The top seven runners then flew to Eugene, Oregon in the National Junior College Cross Country Championships on November 9th. We were rewarded with an excellent 5th place finish with two runners, Ron Stetina 4th and Jack Lindsey 10th, receiving All-American honors. They were followed by Denis Baumstark 58th, Glen Bartholomew 62nd, Gary Ryan 115th, Ron Anderson 144th and Mike Rafferty 165th.

Next year's team will surely miss Ron Stetina, Jack Lindsey, Gary Ryan and Ron Anderson; but with Denis Baumstark, Glen Bartholomew, Mike Rafferty and Mark Randolph returning for the 1975 season, the team will be looking to improve on its 5th place finish when it travels to Rochester, Minnesota.

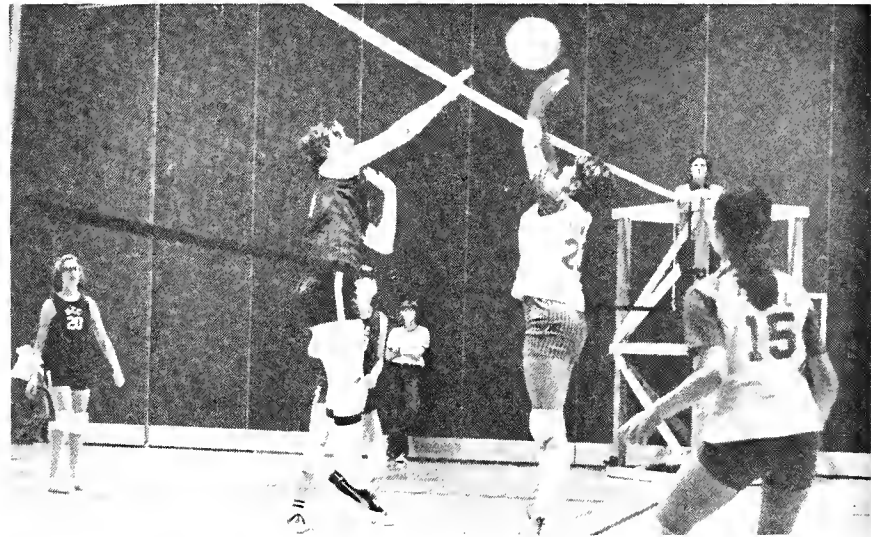




Left to right: Ron Anderson, Glenn Bartholomew, Jack Lindsey, Dennis Baumstark, Mike Rafferty, Gary Ryan, Ron Stetina, Coach Roger Bowen.

VOLLEYBALL

Meramec's Women's Volleyball Warriors placed fourth in the nation in the NJCAA Women's Invitational Volleyball Championships at Catonsville, Maryland. The team went into the tournament with a 22-7 season record including the Region 16 Championship. Carole Whittaker was chosen for the 2nd 1974 NJCAA All-Tournament Team.

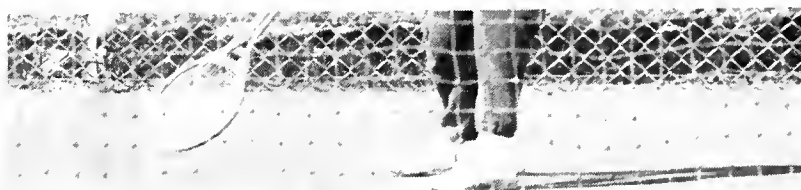


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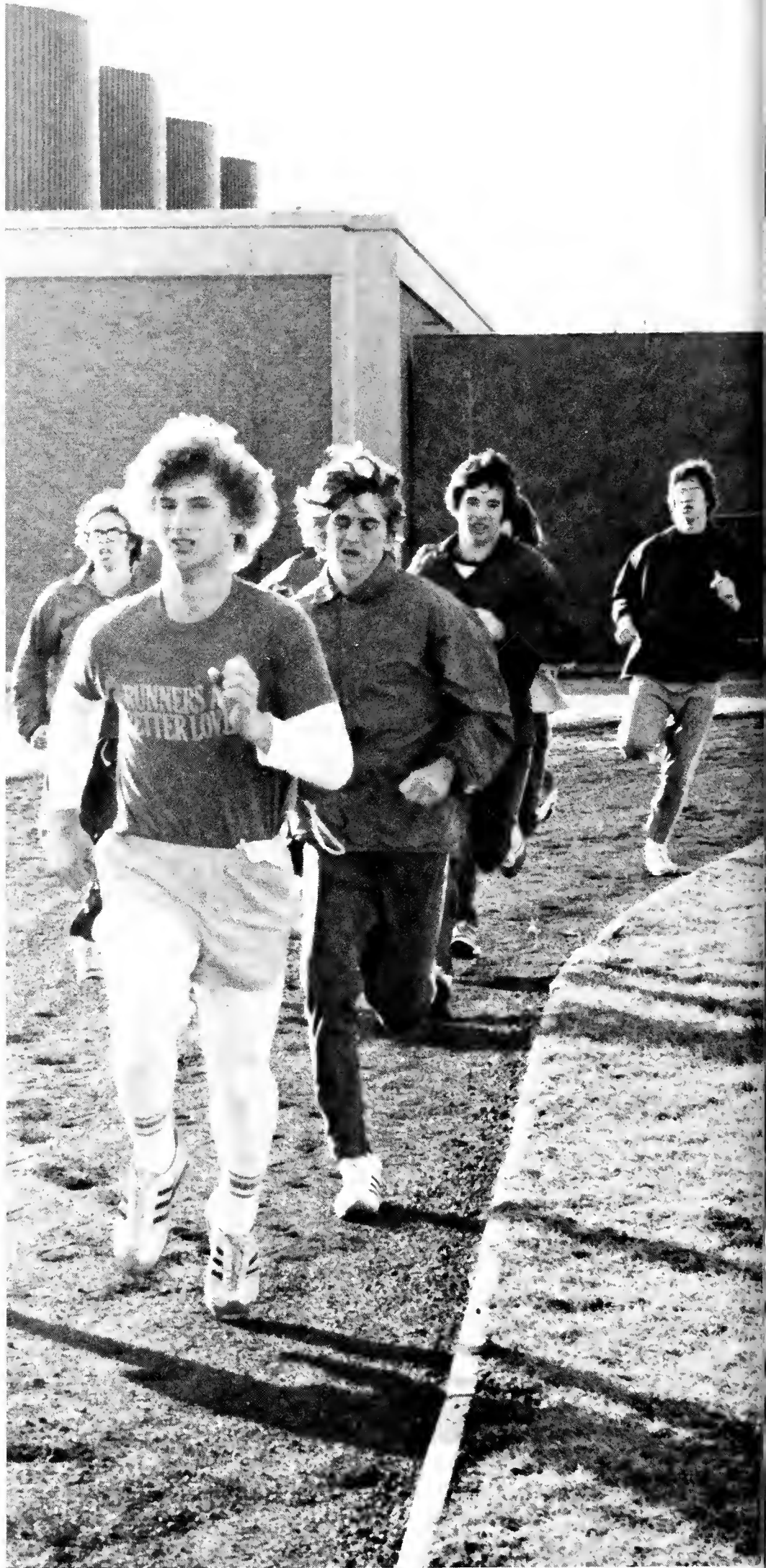
Colleen Toal, Kathy Rapice. Not pictured: Patty Enders and Coach Sue Bastian.

TENNIS

The MCC Tennis Team is coached by Jack Writer and the members are Kevin Maher, Wayne Cobertson, Bob Striler, Rick Harrold, Don Earry, Terry Plattinburg, n Teachout, Steve Oppliger, Dave Kreutz and Bob rake.



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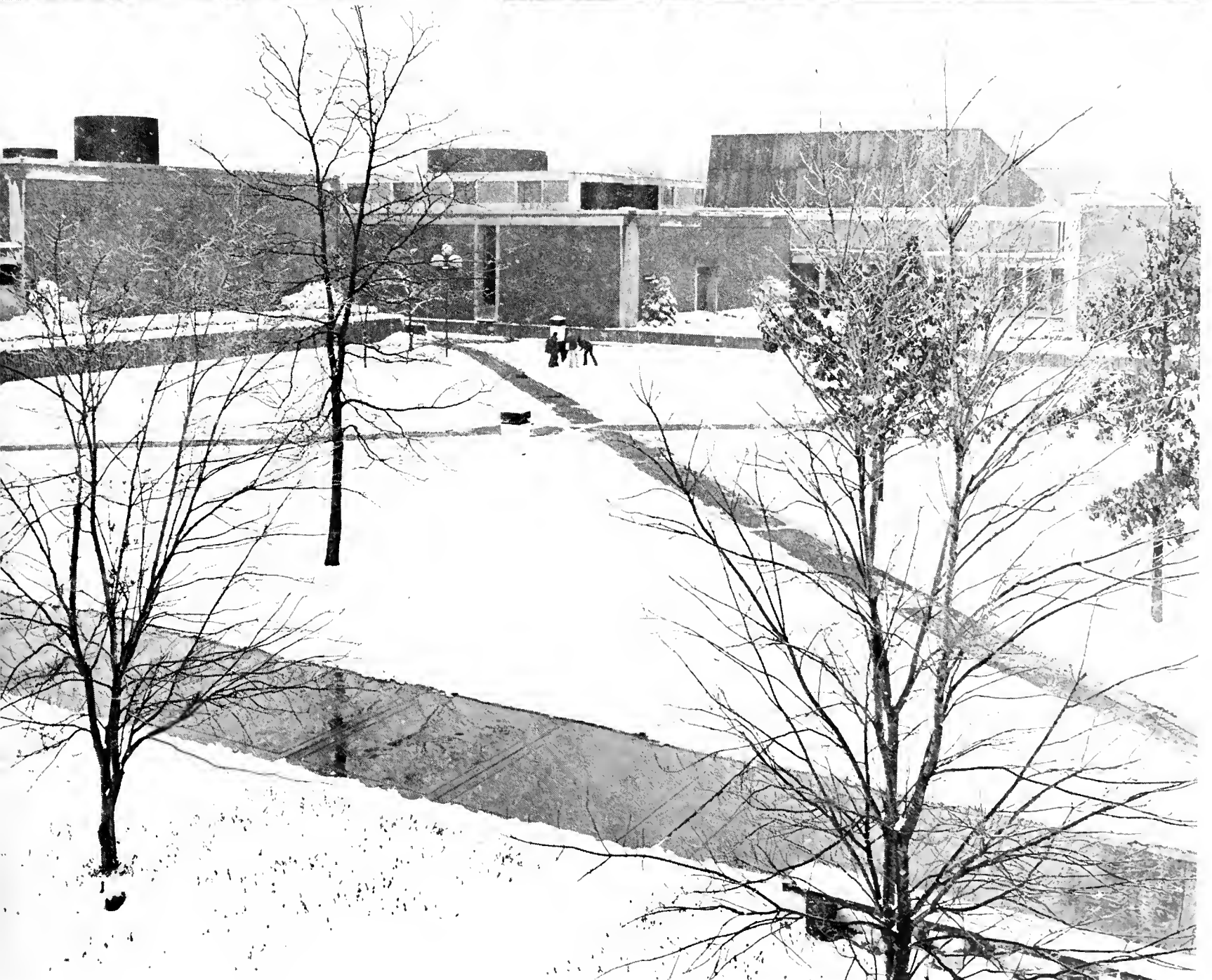


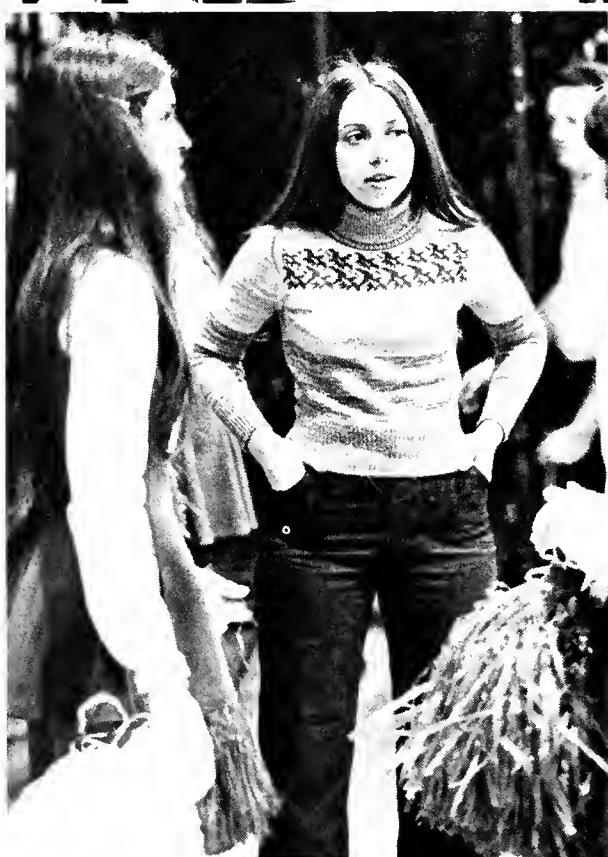


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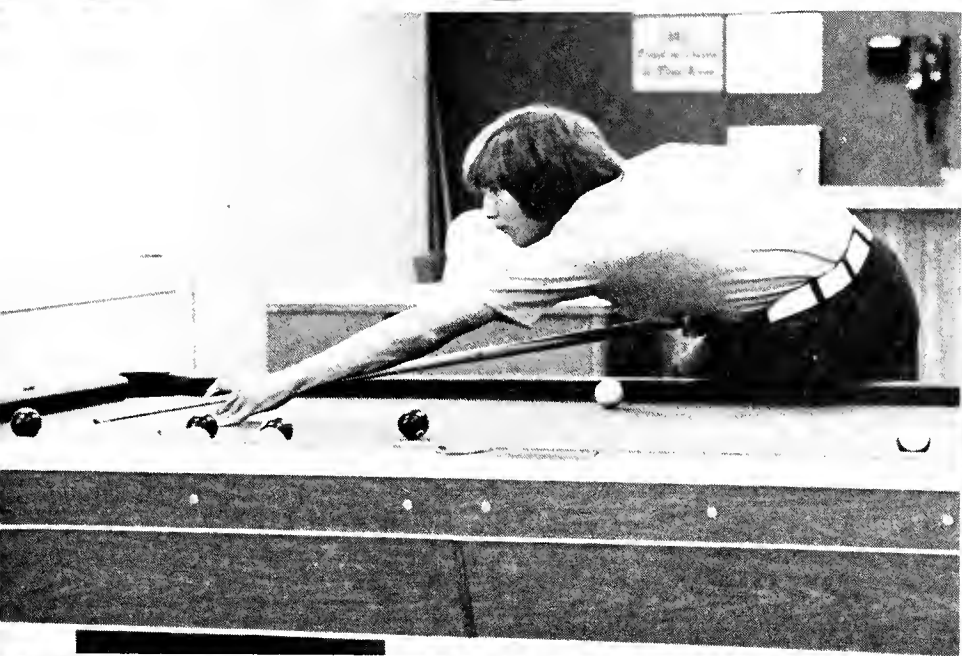






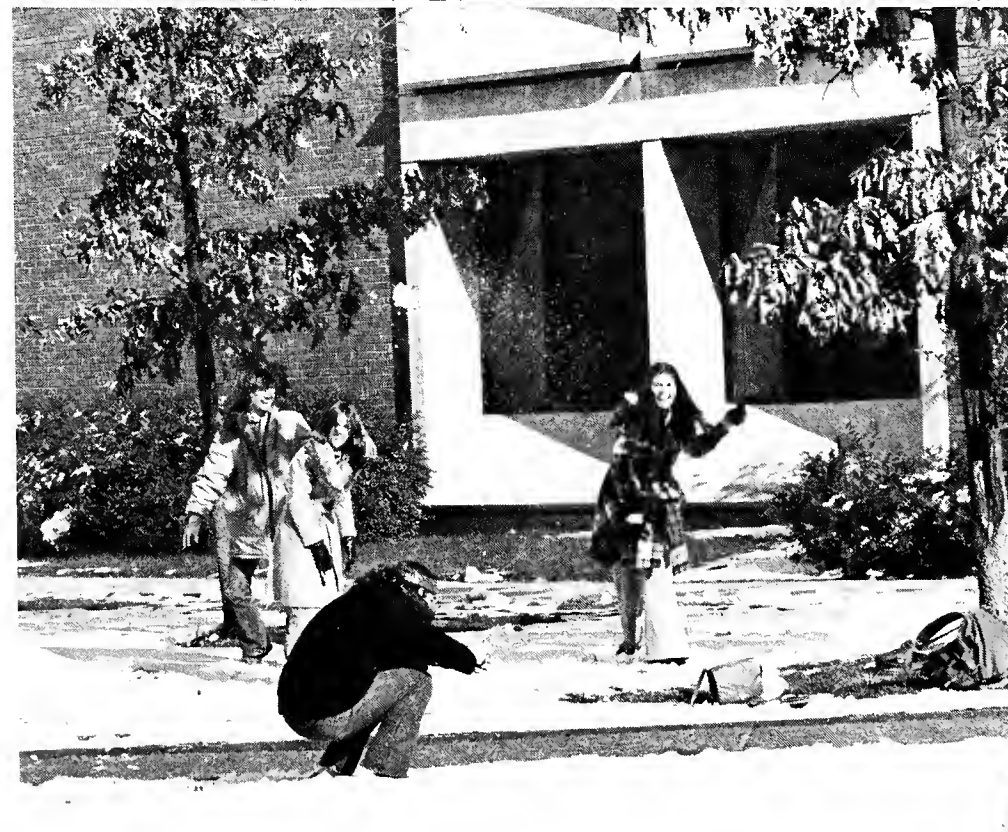
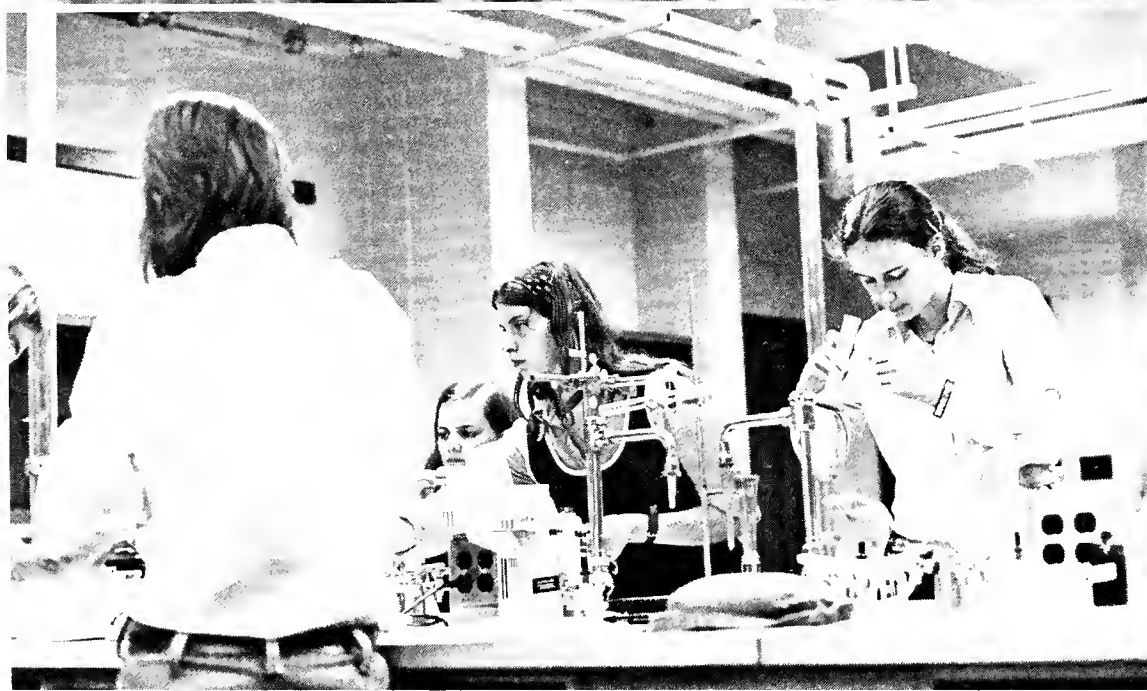
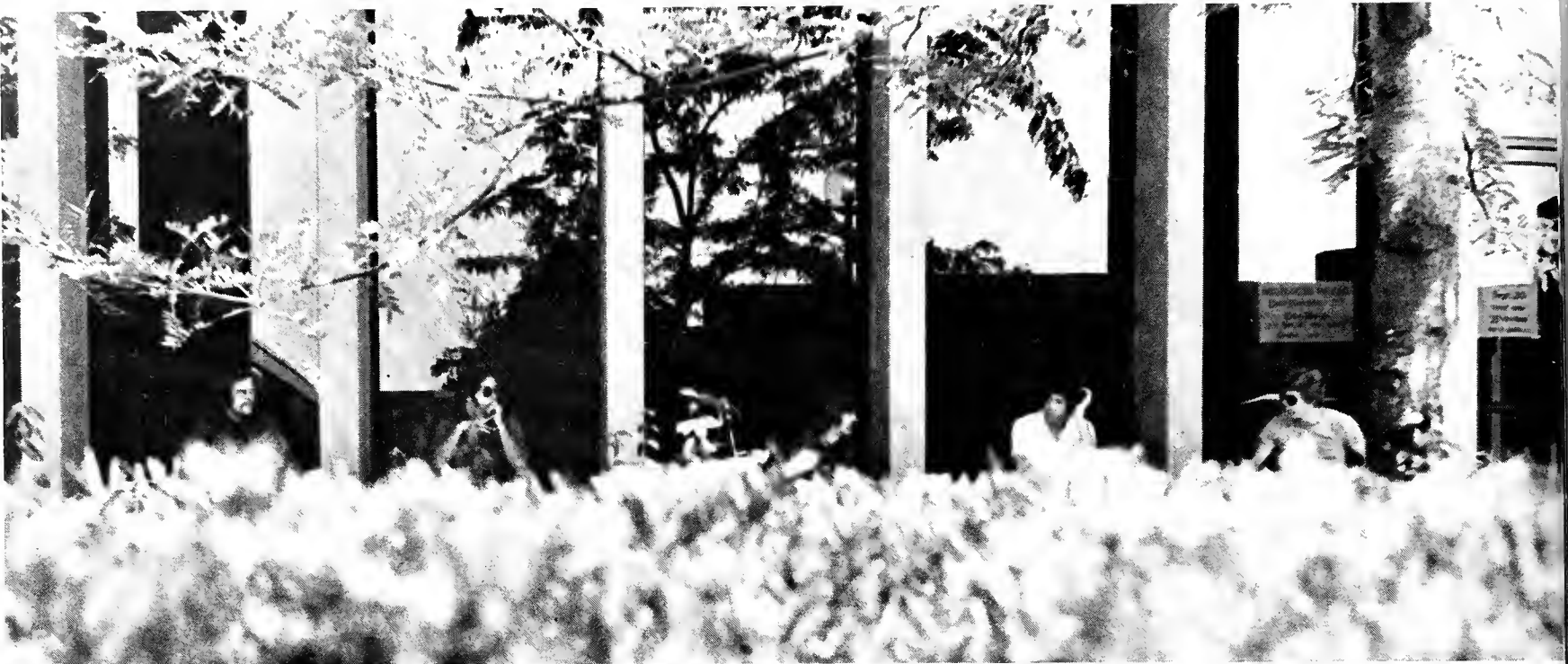
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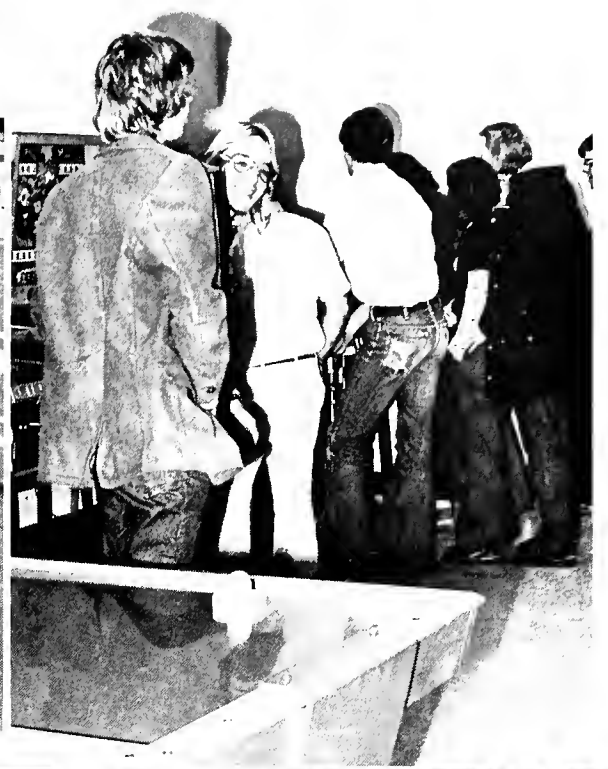


















Dear Friends,

This book was put together with the intention of being representative of the time spent out here by the students—whether for a few hours for only classes or for many hours involved in one or more of the many extracurricular activities available on this campus.

I found the nicest part of Meramec, as compared to the four year university, to be the chance to become a bigger part of activities on and functions of this campus. I have been able to talk to teachers, counselors and school staff personnel, and in doing so, gained some very good friends. If only every student at every college could be afforded this opportunity . . .

A year passes so quickly . . . and as always there are many things I would have liked to do but didn't have the time . . . and there were people met once and not seen again, or people talked to that would or could have become friends . . .

I'd like to give special thanks to Robert Abbott and Tom Nord who worked the whole year and never seemed to mind the endless hours in the dark room, and to David Schmitt who was always there to help when no one else was, and to DeLancey Smith without whom this would never have been possible. Smile.

A word to next year's editor—I hope you have such fine photographers and as great a group of people to share an office with as I did this year—also, be sure to get started earlier than you think you should—the deadlines are monsters.

Wendy Carter

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